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COMMENTS ON RELATIONSHIPS

Many persons have difficulty determining relationships beyond the more simple ones, and some information here may well be in order.

A GRAND UNCLE is an uncle to one's father or mother, and a GREAT UNCLE is the same. GRAND OR GREAT AUNT, likewise.

A GRAND or GREAT NEPHEW, is a grandson of one's brother or sister.

A FIRST COUSIN is the child of one's uncle or aunt, and is sometimes called a FULL COUSIN or OWN COUSIN.

Children of first cousins are SECOND COUSINS to each other and children of second cousins are THIRD COUSINS to each other, etc.

The children of your first cousin are your FIRST COUSINS ONCE REMOVED, being of an earlier generation.

Persons descended the same number of steps or generations from a common ancestor are cousins to the degree indicated by the number of steps, this being ONE LESS than the number of steps. Thus children of the THIRD generation from the same ancestor are SECOND COUSINS. A person of the THIRD generation is a SECOND COUSIN ONCE REMOVED to a person of the FOURTH generation from the same ancestor.

A brief study of these comments, should enable you to determine your relationship to anyone else in the connection.

(*) Pg. 19 — The principle, Joseph B. Winebrenner, states his wife's name is actually Helen M. Hieker. Regina is his mother's name.

F O R E W A R D

The first objective in compiling this record, started in 1939, was to write a history to include those Winebrenners and connections who were descendents of Andrew Jackson Winebrenner (my own Grandfather), but the research, once begun, soon brought in a mass of information on brothers and sisters of his,and later some data on ancestors of his"away back", which latter is still incomplete.

Information has also been received in groups unable so far to trace their ancestors back to a point where connection to our line is definately shown, though very likely most of them are so connected.

Old Bibles, and family legends told by older members have had a large part in providing information of value.

A study of the Chart shown on folded page 7 will show that Philip, the brother of Christian (father of the two sets of children of ten each) had a son shown as Elder John Winebrenner. He was a first cousin to Andrew and his sisters and brothers, and was probably the most famous of the older Winebrenners,having founded in 1830 the Church of God, sometimes called the Winebrennerian Church, which organization still flourishes in many parts of the United States, particularly Pennsylvania,Ohio,Indiana and some others.

It is hoped that relatives and others reading this record will report any errors or omissions that future issues may be corrected, and perhaps include other children of this family.

Probably sometime between 1895 and 1900 a history of the Winebrenners was attempted by DANIEL WINEBRENNER of Indiana, the eleventh child of Andrew, assisted by his older brother HENRY of Battle Creek,Michigan, but the effort seemed to have ceased and practically all papers of same became lost, except one letter to Daniel dated May 7,1900 from D.C.Winebrenner of Fredrick,Maryland in answer to an inquiry.

This one old letter contained much information, and brief as it was, it has been the basis of our outline in many respects. It is hoped more papers of that investigation may be found, also other family records discovered and reported to help make this one more complete. A great deal of cooperation is needed in an effort of this kind.

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A WINEBRENNER GENEALOGY

GENERAL INTRODUCTION

Religious persecution and political oppression tended to drive thousands of the natives of German Provinces along the Rhine to America, where in 1681 William Penn of England had acquired large land holdings, including the present State of Pennsylvania, and had invited the persecuted of every creed to come and worship God, each according to the dictates of his own conscience. The country was new and undeveloped, and liberal plans were made to encourage the obtaining of land in the new country.

At one time, "There were books and papers dispersed in the Palatinate, with the Queen's pictures on the books, and the title page in letters of gold, which on that account was called, 'The Golden Book', to encourage these Palatines to come to England, in order to be sent to the Carolinas or other of Her Majesty's Colonies to be settled there. "Journal of the House of Commons, England, XVI, pages 467,468.

The Winebrenners are said to have lived in the Palatine, which would mean the German part, or lower Palatine, east of the Rhine in Baden, it being a low fertile strip about 150 miles long, bounded on the East by Wurtemberg and Bavaria, on the South by Switzerland and the Lake of Constantine and on the West by the river Rhine across which was France. Manheim was the Chief city or town of Baden, well to the North end. The famous Black Forest fringed the Palatinate on the East.

Our ancestors,and others, in leaving the Palatinate, would be going down the Rhine in slow boats to Rotterdam in Holland of the Netherlands, a distance of about 500 miles, the trip taking about five or six weeks, there being some 25 Customs Houses to pass. By the time they reached Rotterdam many had used most of the money they had saved for the trip to America, not knowing there would be so much delay.

From Rotterdam they went to some English Port, in the case of our Ancestors to Cowes on the Isle of Wight in the English Channel, where more delay was suffered, partly because of still another Customs inspection, then a wait of a week or more for favorable winds, for theirs was a sailing vessel.

The trip across the Atlantic Ocean was one of hardship to most of them, and under the most favorable conditions took about seven weeks. The boats were crowded, drinking water was scarce and food poor, resulting in much sickness and suffering, added to which was the trouble of seasickness.

On arrival in Philadelphia, the immigrants were thoroughly examined by a doctor, and many were taken from every boat quite ill. Quite a few died on board or soon after arriving.

In 1727 the Province of Pennsylvania adopted a measure that Masters of vessels importing Germans and others from Europe, should be required to show that they had leave granted by the Court of

Great Britian to import these foreigners, and that a list be taken of all these people, also that a writing be drawn up for them to sign, declaring Allegiance and subjection to the Crown of Great Britian and fidelity to the Proprietary of the Province of Pennsylvania, etc.

The Masters or Captains of vessels were required to have all male passengers over 16 years of age, sign these lists, or make their mark, and on landing in amerion these Immigrants were required to "qualify". (the term applied to signing the Pledge of Allegiance referred to above)

This measure saved for the future, a record of upward of 30,000 immigrants from Germany and Switzerland who landed at Philadelphia from 1727 to 1776. These lists were published in "Pennsylvania-German Pioneers", a work by Ralph Beaver Strassburger, also by Israel Daniel Rupp in, "A Collection of 30,000 names of German, Swiss, Dutch, French and other immigrants in Pennsylvania from 1727 to 1776."

In these lists we find the names of only three Winebrenners as follows in the exact spelling as per the Rupp Collection:
ANTHON WEINBRENNER, and WOLFGANG WINEBRENNER, both on the ship Phoenix, Reuben Honor, Captain, from Rotterdam, last from Cowes, England, landing at Philadelphia, Pa. and qualified Nov. 22, 1752.

Also, JOHANN CHRISTIAN WEINBRENNER, on the ship Rowand, Arthur Tran, Captain, from Rotterdam, last from Cowes, England, landing at Phila. Pa. and qualified Sept. 29, 1753.

In Pennsylvania, German Pioneers, and the Pennsylvania Archives, the name appears under various spellings, but obviously means the same men, and no similar ones were found.

No records found indicate the ages of these three men, nor if married and with families. Their wives, and children under 16 might have been with them and not registered because of the rule of listing only males over 16.

As to Wolfgang, no trace nor record has been found of him except the record, shown above.

As to Anthon (Anthony) the only record found of that name after the ship record above, is in the 1st U.S.Census of 1790 where we find in Frederick County, Maryland: ANTHONY WINEBRENNER, family 1 male over 16. Apparently not married at the time and no children. Also in the Archives of Pennsylvania, series 5, Volume 3, p 62 record of Continental Line 5th Pennsylvania Regiment of foot Infantry in U.S. Service, in April 1780, it mentions ANTHONY WINEBONER, on Furlough. Also in the same book on page 92 it lists as a member of the same Company, ANTHONY WINEBORNER.

These men have been the progenitors of several groups we have contact with, that cannot trace their ancestory back to the immigrant.

As to the third one, JOHANN CHRISTIAN WINEBRENNER, we have knowledge and much detailed information on many of his descendants, though but very little as yet of him personally.(see sketch of Johann Christian Winebrenner, also many pages of his descendants.

In and about Hanover, York County Pa. are many Winebrenners, tracing their line back to JOHANN PETER WINEBRENNER (or Weinbrenner) born in Germany, December 28, 1738, and who died at Hanover, Pa. December 19, 1789, aged 51 years and buried there. One report or Pedigree on this group indicates their forefather was JOHN GEORGE WINEBRENNER, born in Germany May 31, 1742 and who died at Hanover, Pa. November 17, 1780 aged 38 years.

Both of these men would have been under 16 years of age in 1752 or 1753 and so might have entered the Unite States at the same time as the three listed on the Ship's Records, and may have been related as brothers or sons. It is hoped wemay sometime determine the true facts in the case.

February 11, 1942

ADDENDUM

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Within the past year, we have found at York County, Pennsylvania, Court House, evidence that indicates JOHANN CHRISTIAN WINEBRENNER, when he arrived in America, was accompanied by his widowed mother, Catherina, also brothers; JOHANN PETER, then just past 12, JOHN GEORGE, then about 11, and a sister KATRINA, then just past 8 years old. It has also been found in York County Pa. records that, JOHANN CHRISTIAN WINEBRENNER married August 30, 1758, CHRISTIANA BYARD a widow.

A.G.GIBBONY

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SKETCH OF CATHERINE WINEBRENNER OF GERMANY

CATHERINE WINEBRENNER was born likely about 1715 in Germany. Probably in the Palatinate on the River Rhine, and died about Sept. 1755 aged about 40 years, at or near Hanover, Dover,Twp. York County Pa. No record of her death nor place of burial has been found. The approximate date of her death is determined from York County Will Book A, page 119 where on September 20, 1755 her son Christian was appointed Administrator for the Estate of his mother deceased. In Adm. of Accts. Record, March 26, 1761 "Est of Katrina Wybrener (says-mistakenly called Christiana Wynbrener) showed balance £33.3.

Her husband had presumably died in Germany, and his name may have been John (Johann), for each of the three sons had the name JOHANN preceding his other name, a custon in Germany. Each dropped the name Johann after arrival in America.

She probably came to America on the ship Rowand, Arthur Tran, Capt. from Rotterdam, last from Cowes, England, landing at the American Port of Philadelphia, September 29, 1753 with her four children, Johann Christian being the only one of them registered on the ship.

Apparently she at once or soon, went to Hanover Pa. with her children, settled there and aquired some property, though only a small parcel in all probability. Evidence of this was found in York County Orphans Court Records, where after her death, son Christian asks for appraisal of a property, but it was decided too small to admit of division.

Her given name is severally shown as; Catherine, Katrinaand and Catherina. Her last name as Weinbrenner, Weybroner, Wybroner, Wyandbrenner, and Wynbroner.

Her children, four of record;

1. JOHANN CHRISTIAN, born about 1735 and died in 1815 aged 80 years. Lived in York County, Pa. for about 20 years, then Hagerstown Md.Married Mrs. Christiana Wyand. Their children,seven. John Jacob of Md.(5 ch.); Philip of Md.(5ch.); Christian of Pa. (10 & 10 ch.); Catherine (Snyder)of Md.(6 ch.); John Peter of Md.(1 ch.); Sebastian of Md.(3 ch.) and Christiana (Barnhiser) (? ch)
   1. JOHANN CHRISTIAN married 2nd Ann Maria _____ Their children, two; Johannes of Md.no record and Amelia (Maxwell) of Md. & Ohio no Record.
2. JOHANN PETER, born in 1738 and died in 1789 aged 31 years. Lived at Hanover,Pa. Married Anna Barbara _____ Their children, One; Anna Justina Barbara (Glepsatle) of York County. Their children, Unknown.
3. JOHN GEORGE, born in 1743 and died in 1780 aged 38 years.Lived at Hanover,Pa. Married Catherine Burchert. Their children,Six; John George died in infancy; Peter of Hanover, 9 children; Henry, no children of record; Catherine (Ritz) no children of record; George of Hanover, had 2 & 9 & 1 children; John Adam died at 5½ years.
4. KATRINA, born in 1745 and died about 1834 aged 89 years.Married Jacob Gibler. Their children, eight, all of Somerset, Pa. Elizabeth Zimmerman,9 children; John; Christian; Peter; Henry; Freronica (Pitner) George; and Nicholas.

SKETCH OF
JOHANN CHRISTIAN WINEBRENNER

JOHANN CHRISTIAN WINEBRENNER, was likely born in about 1736 in Germany, in the Palatinates on the Rhine River. He died late in November 1815, aged about 79 years, at Hagerstown Maryland and is believed to be buried there, Though no record of his death nor headstone has been found. On file in the Court House there is found his will dated November 17, 1815 and probated early in 1816. Also is found record of the sale of his effects,including chattels, as being on Dec. 7, 1815 by which we can determine the approximate date of his death.

He was the eldest child of Catherine Winebrenner, who accompanied him and the three other children to America. After making the trip down the Rhine and arriving at Rotterdam in Holland, he there boarded a vessel for America. It was the ship Rowand, Arthur Tran, Captain,of Rotterdam, and touched at Cowes England, on the Isle of Wight, before starting across the ocean for America. He landed at the port of Philadelphia Pa on Sept 29, 1735, on which date he "qualified"(signed pledge of allegiance to the crown) He at once or very soon, went to York County Pa. and settled at or near Hanover in Dover Twp. where he aquired a farm of 162 acres. Date of such purchase is not known to us,but we find in the records there, land book E,page 26, dated Jan 14, 1772, record of it's sale by him.

He married, August 30, 1868, in York Co. Pa. (Record in Orphans Court Docket A, page 101) CHRISTINA, widow of Jacob Wyand, a yoeman of Dover Twp. On the Deed covering the sale of the farm in 1772, his wife Christina had also signed.

Sometime after Jan. 14, 1772, they left York County, Pa. for Maryland, settling at Hagerstown in Washington Co. In the records there we find quite a number of property transfers to and from him, the earliest being in 1784 when he purchased some property. We note that in 1788 he bought a property of Jonathan Hager. In 1806 he sold a house and lot in Funkstown (in south edge of Hagerstown) the papers being signed also by his wife Anna Mary, which leads us to believe his wife Christina had died and he had re-married. His will mentions wife Anna Maria. Shortly before his death he sold a lot "with improvements" at the south eastern corner of Franklin & Jonathan Streets Hagerstown, for $1127. This is believed to be the same two story brick building still there (1947) on the first floor of which is a drug store.

Children of Johan Christian & Christina, seven;

1. JOHN JACOB, born in 1758 (Rev Lischy record) York Co. Pa. and he died prior to Nov. 17, 1815, date of father's will.
He married and had five children; Mary (Bear); John; Sally; Peter; Joseph; All believed of Hagerstown.

2. PHILIP, born in 1759 in York Co. Pa. Died in 1841 aged 82 years in Frederick Co. Md. Married Eve C. Barrick. Children, five; Catherine (Riner); Jacob of Ohio; Mary (Cramer) of Frederick; Rev. John of Church of God fame and Christian of Frederick, Md.
3. CHRISTIAN, born about 1764, York Co. Pa. Died in 1832 aged 88 yrs. in Blair Co. Pa. Married Mary Adams of Bedford Co.Pa. Children 7; (legend says 10) Rev. Christian Jr. of Blair Co; Catherine (Mohn) of Indiana; Peter of Pa.; Jacob of Blair Co. & Ohio; Esther (Harlenbaugh) of Blair Co. Pa.; David of Ind. and Mary (Hay).

SKETCH OF
JOHANN CHRISTIAN WINEBRENNER
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3. CHRISTIAN Married second in Pa. Abigail Chrisman. Children, ten; Elizabeth (Nicodemus) of Blair Co. & Indiana; John of Indiana; Sarah Jane (Sheffler) of Indiana; Andrew Jackson, of Indiana; Daniel of Indiana; Joseph of Indiana; William of Indiana; Polly (Burwell) of Indiana; Margaret (Ritts) of Indiana and Nancy (Newmnn) possibly of Indiana.
4. CATHERINE, born in 1766 in York Co. Pa. and died prior to 1815 date of her father's will in Maryland. Married John Snyder and lived at Hagerstown. Their children, six; Elizabeth; Andrew; Sally; Simon; John; and Mary, all of Hagerstown, Md.
5. JOHANN PETER, born in 1768 in York Co. Pa. Date of death unknown. Is thought to have lived in Illinois, and to have married Mary Snyder in Frederick Co. Md. Children, none of record.
6. SEBASTIAN, born about 1769 probably in York Co. Pa. and died prior to 1815, date of his father's will. Married and had three children; David S. well to do man of Phila; Mary (Burush) of Ohio; and Christian of Miamisburg, Ohio.
7. CHRISTIANA, born on date not known. Date of death not known. Married Matthias Barnhiser, likely of Hagerstown, Md. Children, none of record.

NOTE-Unconfirmed reports say there were ten children of the above marriage, but record of only seven has been found.

JOHANN CHRISTIAN WINEBRENNER married second, sometime between 1784 and 1786, ANN MARIA _____ at Hagerstown, Md. There in the records of Zion Reformed Church we find what appears to be record of birth of two children of Johann Christian Winebrenner and his wife Ann Marie, Thus;

Their children, two;

1. JOHANNES WINEBRENNER, born Aug 13, 1787
2. AMELIA WINEBRENNER, born Sep. 22, 1814. (May have married, on July 25, 1833, Geo. M.C. Maxwell).

At Hagerstown, there is on file in the Court House, the will of Ann Maria Winebrenner, dated July 10, 1817, and probated Jan. 5, 1822, in which she gave all property to "my daughter Margaret, the wife of John Miller or to her heirs, and hereby appoint John Miller, my son-in-law, as Executor". No details of property.

From the record of marriages in Montgomery County, Ohio, we find that on July 25, 1833, Amelia Winebrenner, married George M.C. Maxwell. This could have been the Amelia above, born in 1814.

The Margaret in will of Ann Maria, who married John Miller, might have been a daughter of her previous marriage.

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SKETCH OF
JOHN WINEBRENNER
Founder of the Church of God

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JOHN WINEBRENNER was born March 23, 1797 in Glades Valley, Woodsboro District, Frederick County Maryland, the son of Philip and Eve C. (Barrick) Winebrenner. He died September 12, 1860 aged 60 years, at his residence 262 North Street, Harrisburg Pa. He is buried in the Harrisburg Cemetery in the Necropolis north of the corner of State and 13th Streets. A large monument was erected at his grave on September 23, 1863 with the contributions of Churches of God and Friends. A new monument was installed and dedicated May 17, 1913.

He inherited from his mother a strain of Scotch blood, and in temper as well as appearance he was rather more Scotch than German. Details of his Church and religious activities are a matter of record in Histories of the Church of God, and Encyclopedias as well as many books on church work. However we will here give briefly something on the subject.

He was brought up by his parents in the German Reformed Church, and he contemplated the Ministry when still a young man. He attended the Academy at Frederick Maryland, entered Dickinson College at Carlisle Pa. and studied Theology at Philadelphia under Samuel Helfenstein. He entered the German Reformed Ministry in 1820, being ordained September 24th of that year at Hagerstown. He became pastor of a congregation at Harrisburg, where within a year or two his activities as a revivalist were disapproved by some ministers and others in his Synod. In 1825 he published A "Revival Hymn Book", and soon thereafter withdrew from his connection with the German Reformed Church, but not from religious work.

His converts he organized into free Churches, and in October 1830 they organized the Church of God at Harrisburg, which movement, through missionary effort, in which John Winebrenner himself took an active part, expanded into other states as Ohio, Maryland, Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, Oklahoma, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Texas, Arkansas, Oregon, Washington, Maine and West Virginia, reaching its height at about the time of the death of John Winebrenner in 1860, when the denomination had about 500 Ministers or Elders and more than 50,000 members, chiefly of German descent. From the Church paper we learn that for the year ending April 30, 1843, the Church of God was then composed of fifteen Elderships in fourteen states, having 402 organized Churches, owning 378 Bethels (church buildings), with 244 active ordained Ministers and 44 retired, and a Church membership of 33,454. Those interested should read "History of Churches of God", by C.H. Forney, obtainable from the Central Publishing House, Harrisburg, Pa.

John Winebrenner preferred to be called "ELDER", rather Than Reverend or Bishop, also disliked having members of the Church of God referred to as "Winebrennerians", though in many places even yet they are so called.

It seems that John Winebrenner was the first to use the designation "Church of God", though since then quite a number of other groups have used it, therefore all Churches of God seen are not of the John Winebrenner branch.

Many times during his religious activities, John Winebrenner had financial difficulties, and had to engage in various commercial

enterprizes to help out. One was theinvention of a harrow or Clod Cutter as he called it, which he displayed and demonstrated at the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society Exhibition at Harrisburg in 1856, when he won a bronze medal. This medal come into the possession of his daughter Emma (Christman), and while she was living at Walkersville at the old home place in her reclining years, she gave it to her cousin David C. Winebrenner 3rd of Frederick, who was also her attorney. He prized it highly, and after his untimely death in March 1940 his mother Mrs. Eleanor Ritchie Winebrenner of Frederick kept it for a time, but hoped to have it placed in the Museum at Harrisburg, being considered for mementoes of John Winebrenner. For this purpose she gave the medal to the writer A.G. Gibbony on his visit to her home in August 1941, and he in turn transferred it with proper record and explanation, to Mrs. Maude Cassel Zeiders of Franklin Pa. a grand daughter, and she in turn placed it in the Harrisburg Museum in Sept. of 1941.

The Church of God issues a weekly paper, The Church Advocate, printed in Harrisburg Pa. at their own Central Publishing House, and they have a Church College at Findlay Ohio, established in 1882 and thriving today. Some years ago they had many schools in various parts of the country. (See Forney's History)

JOHN WINEBRENNER married, on October 10, 1822, CHARLOTTE M. REUTTER of Harrisburg Pa. who died May 20, 1834 after an illness of seven months of tuberculosis, and was buried in the old Lutheran Graveyard in Harrisburg, then raised about 1856 and re-interred in the Mt. Kalmia Cemetery in the Winebrenner lot. (Same as Harrisburg Cem. at 13th and Liberty Sts.) Information in the hands of her grandson Frank Calder of Hyattsville, Md. states that her grave is marked with a headstone bearing the name of her child Harriet.

There were six children of this marriage, four dying in infancy, according to a statement in the Forney History. We seem to have definite information on but two of these four, one being Louisa and the other Harriet. A letter he wrote to his wife in 1841 mentions children Hannah and Andrew who may have been these two.

The known children of this marriage are as follows;
ELLEN WINEBRENNER, born in 1824 and died in 1858. Married JAMES CALDER, who was born in 1826 and died in 1893. He was a Minister of the M.E. Church and a Missionary to China, where he also served as a U.S. Vice-Consul. Later he returned to the U.S. joined the Church of God, and became prominent in the same. He was President of Pennsylvania State College at one time. Their children were four.
MARY JANE WINEBRENNER, born in 1832 and died in 1918. Married Jacob E. Cassel, who was born in 1822 and died in 1896. Their children were 10.
LOUISA WINEBRENNER, born Sep. 30. 1833 and died Sep. 20, 1834.
HARRIET WINEBRENNER, born at unknown dated, died at age of eight months.

JOHN WINEBRENNER married second, Nov 2, 1837 to MARY HAMILTON MITCHELL of Harrisburg, born in 1808 and died in 1888. Buried beside her husband in the Harrisburg Cem. She was born at Norristown Pa. and died at Mt. Joy Pa. Their children, four, as follows;

1. E MA CHARLOTTE WINEBRENNER, born in 1839 and died in 1930. Married Major E.L. Christman of Washington Pa. Their children, none.
2. JOHN ABNER WINEBRENNER, born in 1842 and died in 1929. Was not married.
3. ALBERT MITCHELL WINEBRENNER, born in 1843 and died in 1916 in Calif. Married Georgiana C. Barton of Iowa. Their children, four.
4. MARSHALL HAMILTON WINEBRENNER, born in 1847 and died 1932. Not married.

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A detailed Genealogy of the descendants of John Winebrenner has been completed and is available to those interested.

SKETCH OF
CHRISTIAN WINEBRENNER

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CHRISTIAN WINEBRENNER, 3rd child of Johann Christian and Christiana Wyand Winebrenner, was born about 1764 in York Co. Pa. (birth record not found there, although record of his brothers and sisters is).

He died Dec. 20, 1832 aged about 68 years, at his farm home near Martinsburg in Morrision's Cove, Blarir County (then Bedford) Pa. and likely buried there, but headstone and record not found. Date of his birth calculated from that of near brothers and sister, and date of birth of his first child. Date of his death learned from letter of Jan. 8, 1833 by Rev. John Winebrenner, his nephew, to Philip his father saying Christian had died Dec. 20, 1832 "at his home in Morrison's Cove, Blari Co. Pa".

About 1780 when he was a young man, he likely moved with his father and family from York Co. Pa. to Hagerstown Md. They may have lived a short while in Franklin Co. Pa. near Mercersburg, but soon went to Blair Co. (then Bedford) and settled near Martinsburg. He owned farm land there, and a Deed on file at Bedford Pa. shows that on June 3rd 1809, he conveyed, for 5 shillings, "ground situated some little distance of Christian Winebrenner's Spring, on West side of, and laid out for purpose of erecting an house of Public Worship etc.". It was deeded to Wardens of a Church "Commonly called The Congregation at Christian Winebrenners". It says this was part of "Warranted to John Adams (his father-in-law) in 1802 by the Commonwealth of Pa." and had been bequeathed by him to his daughter Mary wife of Christian Winebrenner. Further, the Archives of Pa. Series 3, Vol. 25, page 667, shows Warrentees of Land in County of Bedford and that Christian Winebrenner owned 174 acres, date of survey being Aug. 24, 1826. His Will is on file at Bedford Pa.

He Married, probably in Bedford County about 1788, MARY ADAMS, date of birth not known, the daughter of John Adams of Bedford Co. She died very likely, late in 1809 probably near Martinsburg and buried some where near there. Headstone and record not found.

Their children, seven of record, Legend says 10;

1. CHRISTIAN, born Feb 7, 1789 & died Feb 12, 1856 aged 69 years. Married Margaret _____. Their children, none. He was a Minister.

2. CATHERINE, born May 1, 1794 & died Dec. 7, 1856 aged 62 yrs. 7 mos. Married Daniel Mohm. Their children, legend says 2 or 3.

3. JACOB, born about 1797 and died at date unknown.
   Married Catherine Alabaugh. Their children, one.
   Married Elizabeth Shively. Their children, five.

4. PETER, born March 6, 1799 & died April 7, 1858 aged 59 years. Married Mary Cohoe. Their children, ten.

5. ESTER, born April 25, 1801 & died Sept. 16, 1851 aged 50 years. Married Andrew Harlenbaugh. Their children, none of record.

6. DAVID, born June 29, 1803 and died Dec. 26, 1858 aged 55 years. Married Barbara Becker. Their children, eight. All of Indiana.

7. MARY, born about 1805 and died at some date unknown. Married Andrew (?) Hay. Their children, none of record.

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CHRISTIAN WINEBRENNER married second, about 1809, in Bedford Co. Pa. ABIGAIL CHRISMAN, born in 1788 in Germany, and came to America when 16 years of age, thus about 1804. She died Aug. 16, 1864 aged 76 years in Noble Co. Indiana and buried in Sanford cemetery near Morrison, Noble Co. She may have moved to Indiana in August 1846 when a number of her children did, her husband having died in 1832.

Their children, ten:

1. ELIZABETH, born June 10, 1810 & died Sep. 20, 1864 aged 55 years. Married Conrad Nicodemus. Their children, nine.
2. JOHN, born Mar. 12, 1812 & died Dec. 4, 1870 aged 58 years. Married Sarah Hoover. Their children, fourteen.
3. SARAH JANE, born Oct. 8, 1815 and died in 1897 aged 82 years. Married Jesse Sheffler. Their children, seven. Married Conrad Nicodemus, Their children, none.
4. ANDREW JACKSON, born Aug. 18, 1818 & died Apr. 6, 1888 aged 70 years. Married Anna Hoover, Their children, fourteen. Married Mrs. Mary Ann Hill. Their children, one.
5. DANIEL, born July 15, 1820 & died Nov. 4, 1893 aged 73 years. Married Elizabeth Hoover. Their children, ten. Married Lucinda Fist. Their children, none.
6. JOSEPH, born Oct. 18, 1822 & died March 1, 1901 aged 79 years. Married Margaret Basher. Their children, five. Married Penina LaFavor Allen. Their children, two.
7. WILLIAM, born in 1824 and died Oct. 24, 1864 aged 40 years. Married Miss Ulrich. Their children, three.
8. POLLY, born about 1828 and died on some date unknown. Married Burwell. Their children, none of record. Married Benjamin Couts. Their children, none of record.
9. NANCY, born about 1829 and died on some date unknown. Married Newman. Their children, none of record.
10. MARGARET, born about 1830 and died on some date unknown. Married Ritts. Their children, none of record.

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NOTE: There is some doubt about the last two above, as they are not mentioned in the Will among the "eight youngest children". Family legend says there were ten children of each of Christian's two marriages. Also Elder (or Rev.) John Winebrenner in his journal, recorded that Oct. 21, 1832 he "stayed all night at Uncle Christian Winebrenner's a few miles in the country (from Martinsburg)". Said also "He has twenty children".

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EXTRACTS from Will of CHRISTIAN WINEBRENNER Senr. Of Woodbury Twp. Bedford Co. Pa. dated 18 Nov. 1829, Probated Jan. 29, 1833. Signed by his mark, gave to "my four eldest sons, Christian, Jacob, Peter, and David, and to my 3 eldest daughters, $1.00 each". (These were children of his first marriage, and all that we have definite trace of. He gave to wife Abby (Abigail Chrisman) all of estate during her life if a widow. She to raise and school "my eight youngest children". After death of Abby, estate to be sold and money divided equally to John, Andrew, Daniel, Joseph, Elizabeth, Sarah, William and Polly (Peggy).

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Sketch of

CATHERINE WINEBRENNER
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CATHERINE WINEBRENNER, second child of Christian Winebrenner and his first wife Mary Adams Winebrenner, was born May 1, 1794 in Blair County (then Bedford) Pa. and died Dec. 7, 1856 aged 62 years, 7 months and no days, in Noble County Indiana, and buried in Sanford cemetery near Kerriam, Noble County Ind. Her grave is marked by a headstone.

Married, probably in Blair Co. DANIEL MOHN, who was born Nov. 9, 1788, likely in Blair County Pa. and died Nov. 25, 1856 aged 68 years, 11 months and 16 days in Noble County Indiana. Buried beside his wife and his grave also is marked by a headstone.

We do not yet know when they moved from Blair Co. Pa. to Indiana, but believe it might have been in Aug. 1846 when quite a group of Winebrenners and Hoovers made such a move. Further search for descendants of this couple is being conducted.

Their children, three; (a conjecture)

1. WILLIAM MOHN, born in 1856 and died in 1924 aged 68 years.
   No knowledge of marriage and children.
2. JEFFERSON MOHN.
3. JACOB MOHN.

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SKETCH OF
JACOB WINEBRENNER
of Blair Co. Pa., & Montgomery Co. Ohio
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JACOB WINEBRENNER was born about 1797 in Pennsylvania (or possibly Maryland), and grew up in Blair County Pa. The writer believes that Jacob was a son of Christian Winebrenner's first marriage, and one of those ten children reported by many of the descendants. This belief seems to be given support by the Will of Christian Winebrenner of Blair County (a copy of which the writer has), in which Jacob is listed as the second child of the first marriage. The Will lists four sons and three daughters, which may have been all that were living at the time the Will was drawn (1833).

Another fact pointing toward this relationship is the reported statements of Older Winebrenners in Noble County Indiana, of Henry Winebrenner descendants and the others, that they WERE related.

Jacob probably died at the village of Liberty, near Dayton Ohio, where he lived for some years, but no information as to the date of his death or place of his burial has been found.

He married CATHERINE ALABAUGH, and on July 4, 1817 while living in Blair County Pa. HENRY their first and only child was born, and eight days later the mother Catherine died. The baby was taken by grandparents.

Jacob was a shoemaker and shortly after the death of his wife Catherine he went to Ohio, locating at the village of Liberty in Montgomery County, near what is now Dayton.

The marriage records of Montgomery County show that on Sept. 24, 1818 Jacob Winebrenner married ELIZABETH SHIVELY, and the History of Noble county Indiana tells the same, then adds that there were five children of this marriage, but we have been unable to find anything definite about any of these children. However we suspect that an ISAAC WINEBRENNER who was born March 26, 1821 was one of these five. He apparently lived near Dayton, and Records of Darke County Ohio show that he married in that County Dec. 17, 1843 to SARAH CLEAR, and later moved to Wabash County Indiana. Still later to Whitley County Ind. and died near Churubusco. A fairly good record of this group, the descendants of ISAAC has been assembled.

At Liberty Ohio, JACOB WINEBRENNER kept a Tavern, and being a veteran of the War of 1812, and of a Military turn of mind, raised a Company of Militia (we presume Home of State Guards), with him as First Lieutenant.

Soon after Jacob's marriage to Elizabeth Shively, his little son Henry by his first marriage came from Pennsylvania to live with them.

The Records of Montgomery County Ohio show that a NANCY WINEBRENNER married SOLOMON BROWN, in 1848, also that ELIZABETH

Sketch of Jacob Winebrenner (Continued)
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WINEBRENNER married JONATHAN METHERD in 1850, and we believe those may have been daughters of this Jacob Winebrenner.

Some of the Foregoing was obtained from an 1882 History of Noble County Indiana, and some from many other sources.

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SKETCH OF
DAVID WINEBRENNER
OF Blair Co. Pa. of Ohio and Indiana

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DAVID WINEBRENNER was born June 29, 1803 in Blair County Pa. a son of Christian Winebrenner and his first wife. It is reported he was one of ten children, however in the will of his father Christian (see page 11), he is shown as the fourth child of the seven mentioned. The others may have deceased at at the time (1833).

He died Dec. 26, 1858 aged 55 years, in Noble county Indiana, and is buried in Sanford Cemetery near Merriam, Noble county Indiana.

He married on June 24, 1826, in Montgomery county Ohio, (shown in county Records) to BARBARA BECKER, who was born June 5, 1806 and died March 25, 1877 aged 71 years, in Noble county Indiana, and is buried in the Christian Chapel Cemetery, at Merriam Indiana.

Family records show that four of their eight children were born at Liberty, near what is now Dayton Ohio. A History of Noble county Indiana states that David Winebrenner came into Noble Township sometime prior to 1836 at which time Noble County was organized, and we find that their fifth child was born August 22, 1837 in Noble County. David's principal occupation was that of farmer.

The eight children of David and Barbara are as follows:
1. PETER, born in 1826 and died in 1904. He was a Minister and Farmer in Noble County Indiana. His children were: 3 of his first marriage, to Mary Kitt, and three of his second marriage to Sarah J. Weade.

2. JOHN, born in 1828 at Liberty O. and died in 1830 aged 2 years.

3. JACOB, born in 1831 and died in 1911. He was a farmer of Noble County. His children were; One of his marriage to Magdalena Flory, and six of his marriage to Rachel Marker Scarlott.

4. DAVID S. born in 1834 and died in 1910. He was a farmer of Noble County. His children were; three of his marriage to Julia Ann Ott.

5. SALMON, born 1837 and died at the age of onemonth.

6. ELIZABETH, born in 1838 and died in ___. Loved at Paris, Indiana and at Elkart. Her children were nine of her marriage to Almon B. Scarlott.

7. ELIZA, born in 1842 and died in 1914. Lived in northern Indiana and Iowa. Her children were two, of her marriage to John Weade.

8. AMANDA, born in 1835 and died in 1916. Lived in Noble County Indiana. Her children were three, of her marriage to Jasper N. Edsall.

A Genealogy of the descendants of David Winebrenner has been completed.

When the estate of David's father Christian was settled in 1874, the son Peter went to Bedford County Pa. and represented the heirs in Indiana. David's widow Barbara received $200, and $90 each was paid to Peter, Jacob, David S., Elizabeth (Scarlott), Eliza (Weade) and Amanda (Edsall).

PETER WINEBRENNER, first child of David and Barbara Becker Winebrenner, was born Oct. 6, 1826, at Liberty, near Dayton in Montgomery County Ohio, and died Oct. 14, 1904 aged 78 years at Warren, Huntington county Indiana. He is buried in Christian Chapel Cemetery at Merriam, Noble county Indiana.

He moved to Noble county with his parents in 1836 or 1837. He received but a common school education but had special tuterage from David Sanford and Jonathan Elliott. He taught public school for many years, then in 1857 entered the ministry, serving in the New Light Christian Church about Northern Indiana. He mastered the languages of German, Greek and Latin, and by invitation preached in Philadelphia Pa. and Brooklyn N.Y. He lived at or near Merriam, Noble county Indiana for about 60 years, and owned farm land, but gave most of his time to the Ministry.

He married, Jan. 21, 1849, MARY KITT, who was born Feb. 8, 1830 in Clark county Ohio, and who died Jan. 27, 1858 aged 28 years, in Noble county Ind. She is buried in Sanford cemetery, near Merriam, Noble county Ind.

Their children, three;

I. RACHEL ANNIS WINEBRENNER, born Mar. 12, 1851 in Noble county Ind. and died June 15, 1925 aged 75 years, in California, and buried there. Married Aug. 29, 1867, CHRISTIAN C. STONER, of Merriam Ind. who was born Dec. 27, 1844 in Noble county, and who died Jan. 16, 1931 aged 86 years.

Their children, five;

1. ELLEN L. STONER, born June 29, 1868. Died Oct. 19, 1869 aged 1 yr. 4 m.
2. BARBARA ELLA STONER, born Mar. 26, 1875. Married Dec. 24, 1893 to DAVID HENRY SECRIST, who was born Sep. 4, 1871, and who died May 20, 1927, aged 56 years. Barbara now (Feb. 1943) lives in California.

Their children, two;

a. ANNA M. SECRIST, born April 30, 1859. Married Nov. 15, 1913 to GEORGE V. STEADMAN, who was born April 14, 1888.
b. JOHN S. SECRIST, born Aug. 27, 1905. Married Aug. 11, 1927, SARAH SALMON, who was born Feb. 1, 1905.

Their children, two;

(1) JOHN DAVID SECRIST, born May 23, 1928.
(2) MICHAEL ROBERT SECRIST, born Dec. 2, 1930.

3. JAMES W. STONER, born March 4, 1883. Died April 6, 1883.
4. GEORGE R. STONER, born July 24, 1884. Married July 9, 1906, ETHEL F. FORREY, who was born Jan. 12, 1886.

Their children, six;

a. EDITH MAY STONER, born June 11, 1907. Married RAYMOND BROWN.

Their children, three;

(1) LOR RUSSELL BROWN, born Sep. 12, 1932.
(2) ALLEN GEORGE BROWN, born Nov. 3, 1936.
(3) DELIA ANN BROWN, born April 14, 1939.

b. PAUL STONER, born Sep. 24, 1909. Married Feb. 28, 1932 LOUISE WARD.

Their children, two;

(1) MARILYN LOUISE STONER, born July 19, 1935.

(2) GEORGE WARD STONER, born Feb. 28, 1936.
c. HENRY C. STONER, Born March 18, 1911. Married July 4, 1936 to ELIZABETH CARSON. Their children, none.
d. JULIA RUTH STONER, born April 7, 1913.
e. ALICE RACHEL STONER, born Dec. 15, 1915.
f. JOHN ROBERT STONER, born Sep. 3, 1921.

5. PETER W. STONER, born Jan. 16, 1888. Married in 1913, EDITH FORREY.
Their children, three;
a. MILDRED STONER, born Mar. 28, 1916.
b. WILLIS STONER, born Oct. 25, 1918.
c. LOIS STONER, born Mar. 2, 1930.

II. BARBARA ELLEN WINEBRENNER, born Jan. 10, 1853 in Noble county Indiana. Died Sep. 16, 1931 aged 78 years, at Long Beach, Calif. Buried there. Married Feb. 27, 1869, JASPER OHLWINE of Noble county Ind. who was born Jan. 12, 1844 in Greene county Ohio, and died Sep. 10, 1914 Noble Co. Ind.
Their children, one;
1. LEWIS OHLWINE, born in 1870 in Noble county Ind. Married in Kansas City, and later moved to Calif. Both died and buried there.
Their children, one;
a. RUTH OHLWINE, born about 1899 in Kansas City Mo. Married a Mr. DICKEY who is now deceased.
RUTH married second HENRY RILEY. No further information.

III. GEORGE WINEBRENNER, born Sep. 14, 1855 in Noble county Ind. Died Sep. 25, 1855 aged 11 days. Buried in Sanford cemetery, Noble Co.

PETER WINEBRENNER, married second, Oct. 18, 1858, SARAH J. MEADE, who was born Feb. 26, 1834 in Clark county Ohio and died Sep. 19, 1890 aged 56 years. She is buried in Christian Chapel cemetery Merriam, Noble county Indiana.

Their children, three;
I. SALMON SANFORD WINEBRENNER, born Dec. 15, 1860, in Noble county Indiana. Died July 12, 1912 aged 52 years at Ft. Wayne. Buried in Christian Chapel. Married Sep. 7, 1887, REBECCA STROUSE in Noble county, who was born June 20, 1870 in Whitley county. Now lives in Ft. Wayne.
Their children, five;
1. GUY WINEBRENNER, born June 30, 1889. Died July 30, 1890 aged 1 year. Buried in Christian Chapel cemetery, Merriam Indiana.

2. JOSEPH B. WINEBRENNER, born July 5, 1890 in Noble county Ind. Married FRANCES SKUDLAREK, at Racine, Wisconsin.
Their children, four;
a. MARIE WINEBRENNER, born Mar. 4, 1914 at Racine Wis. Married DONALD HENDRICKS at Ft. Wayne Ind. Their children, three;
(1) JACQUELINE HENDRICKS, born May 3, 1934 at Ft. Wayne.
(2) DONALD HENDRICKS Jr. born Aug 4, 1935 at Ft. Wayne.

(3) MELVIN HENDRICKS, born Mar. 17, 1937, at Fort Wayne.

b. VERLIN LeROY WINEBRENNER, born Mar. 26, 1917 at St. Joe.

c. PAULINE REBECCA WINEBRENNER, born Dec. 26, 1924 at Ft. Wayne.

d. JOSEPH B. WINEBRENNER Jr. born Dec. 30, 1926 at Ft. Wayne. Married REGINA F. They lie in Ft. Wayne at 2732 Pittsburg Ave. ✱ See Comments on Relationships—FRONT of Book

3. ROLLY WINEBRENNER, born May 4, 1893 in Noble county Ind. Died Oct. 23, 1893 aged 6 months. Buried in Christian Chapel cemetery.

4. BEULIA MARIE WINEBRENNER, born Sep. 25, 1894 in Noble county Ind. Married GEORGE CRAIGHEAD at Ft. Wayne, Ind.
Their children, none.

5. EDNA PAULINE WINEBRENNER, born Oct. 10, 1901 in Noble county Ind. Married HOWARD STEPHENS, Ft. Wayne Indiana.
Their children, two;
a. RICHARD STEPHENS, born July 12, 1927 at Ft. Wayne, Ind.
b. SANDRA LEE STEPHENS, born Jan. 20, 1938 at Ft. Wayne, Ind.

II. MARY EMELINE WINEBRENNER, born Sep. 6, 1869 at Merriam, Noble Co. Ind. and now lives at Warren, Huntington County Indiana. Married COLUMBUS M. HARROLD, who was born Mar. 6, 1869 near Warren and who died Nov. 7, 1939 aged 70 years at Ft. Wayne. Buried there.
Their children, two;
1. VERLIN J. HARROLD, born June 17, 1890 in Noble county Indiana. Married Mar. 4, 1921, JOSEPHINE CASTLE of Warrick Indiana.
Their children, two;
a. BILLIE HARROLD, Born Mar. 6, 1931 at Ft. Wayne, Ind.
b. JANE HARROLD, born Oct. 24, 1934 at Ft. Wayne, Ind.

2. MARTHA RUTH HARROLD, born Jan. 28, 1901 at Warren Indiana. Not married, and lives in New York City; Teaches at Columbia Univ.

III. MARTHA JANE WINEBRENNER, born Feb. 16, 1873 at Merriam, Noble Co. Ind. She now lives at Warren Indiana. Married JOSEPH C. SPROWL of Warren, at North Manchester Indiana. He was born Nov. 16, 1867 at Majenca Ind. and died May 5, 1934 aged 67 years, at Bluffton Ind. Buried in Masonic Cemetery, Warren, Indiana.
Their children, three;
1. MARY LOU SPROWL, born Sep. 29, 1909 at Warren Indiana. Married Aug. 29, 1929 to RICHARD BATTIGER, who was born Feb. 9, 1906 at Boonville, Indiana. Their children, none.

2. ROBERT SPROWL, born June 15, 1891 at Warren Indiana. Died June 16, 1891 at Warren, and buried in Masonic cemetery.

3. PAUL S.ROWL, born April 13, 1893 at Hartford City, Indiana. Died April 14, 1893 at Hartford City. Buried at Warren.

PETER WINEBRENNER, married third, DELITHA BEUCK in June 1891, who was born August 1, 1862 in Huntington, Indiana, and died June 13, 1911 aged 40 years at Warren Ind. Buried in Woodlawn cemetery.

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JOHN WINEBRENNER, second child of David Winebrenner and Barbara Becker Winebrenner, was born Sep. 15, 1828 at Liberty, Montgomery county Ohio, and died Oct. 29, 1830 aged 2 years. Probably buried at Liberty Ohio (near Dayton).

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JACOB WINEBRENNER, third child of David and Barbara (Becker) Winebrenner, was born April 4, 1831 at Liberty, Montgomery county Ohio, and died May 28, 1911 aged 80 years, in Noble county Indiana. He was buried in Christian Chapel cemetery, Merriam Indiana. He served in the Civil War as a private in Co. F, 30th Reg. Ind. Vol. Infantry, from Sep. 24, 1861 to Dec. 31, 1863. Description on enlistment, 5 ft. 7 in. tall, hazel eyes, dark hair, occupation farmer. Age 30 years. Enlisted at Ft. Wayne Indiana. Married July 30, 1854 to AMDALENA FLORY who was born Mar. 11, 1836 in Montgomery county Ohio, and died April 15, 1856 aged 20 years, in Whitley county Ind. Buried in Round Lake cemetery.

Their children, one;

I. FRANKLIN D. WINEBRENNER, born Nov. 30, 1855 and left home when a young man, (some say in 1874) and was never heard from again. One report is that he went to Kansas and died there. It is thought he never married.

JACOB WINEBRENNER, married second, Jan. 1, 1857, to RACHEL MARKER SCARLETT, who was born Aug. 3, 1834 in Somerset county Pa. and who died Sep. 12, 1906 aged 72 years. Buried in Christian Chapel cemetery Merriam Indiana.

Their children, six;

I. FRANCIS MARION WINEBRENNER, born Nov. 28, 1857 in Noble county Indiana. Died April 16, 1862 aged 4 years, 4 mo. 18 days.

II. ISADORA ELIZABETH WINEBRENNER, born Aug. 22, 1859 in Noble county Ind. Died Feb. 3, 1930 aged 71 years. Buried Christian Chapel cemetery. Married in 1877 to CORNELIUS OTT, who was born Sep. 1, 1849, and who died Nov. 30, 1937 aged 88 years. Buried in Christian Chapel cemetery.

Their children, five;

1. NELLIE OTT, born Mar. 24, 1878 in Noble county, Indiana. Married in 1898 MAHUE BRACKNEY, who was born July 14, 1872, and who died March 11, 1923 aged 51 years.

Their children, four;

a. MARIE BRACKNEY, born Jan. 20, 1899 in Noble county Indiana. Married Dec. 8, 1918, VERLIN HUNTSMAN, who was born June 8, 1897.

Their children, three;

(1) ROSALIE ANN HUNTSMAN, born April 18, 1927 in Noble county Ind.

(2) JEAN LOU HUNTSMAN, born Aug. 17, 1930 in Noble county Ind.

(3) LARRY E. HUNTSMAN, born Oct. 31, 1937 in Noble county Ind.

b. HARRY BRACKNEY, born Feb. 2, 1901 at Burr Oak, Noble county Ind. Married EDITH HOMSHER, who was born Aug. 10, 1904 Noble County Ind.

Their children, two; (Twins)

(1.) BARBARA BRACKNEY, born Jan 10, 1925 in Noble county Indiana.

(2.) BETTY BRACKNEY, born Jan 10, 1925 in Noble county Indiana.

c. ELSIE BRACKNEY, born Nov. 11, 1904 in Noble county Indiana. Married Mar. 24, 1923, FRED EDWARD, who was born Sep. 16, 1899 and who died 1959.

Their children, three;

(1) PHILIP EDWARD, born June 24, 1925 in Noble county Ind.
(2) ANITA BETH EDWARD, born Aug. 16, 1926 in Noble county, Ind.
(3) EDWARD LEWIS EDWARD, born May 23, 1937 in Noble county Ind.

d. HUBERT BRACKNEY, born May 27, 1908 in Noble county Ind. Married April 23, 1932, ILENE CLELAND, born Nov. 13, 1913.

Their children, one;

(1) WILLIAM H. BRACKNEY, born Nov. 1, 1942.

1. NELLIE OTT (Brackney) Married second, Dec. 29, 1939, to EDWARD RESSLER who was born Dec. 26, 1875 at Albion, Ind. Present address, Albion.

2. EFFIE OTT, born Sep. 20, 1880 in Noble county Ind. Married ARCHIE DULL who was born Sep. 22, 1877 in Noble county, and died Mar. 21, 1940, aged 63 years. Buried at Ligonier, Indiana.

Their children, two;

a. BELVIA DULL, born April 27, 1902 and died Sep. 27, 1928 at 26 years. Buried in Ligonier cemetery. Married FRANK WOLD, who was born Nov. 30, 1890.

Their children, three;

(1) ELOISE WOLF, born Sep. 18, 1920 in Noble county Ind.
(2) KATHLEEN WOLF, born May 6, 1922 in Noble county Ind.
(3) ALLEN WOLF, born July 23, 1927, in Noble county Ind.

b. EVELYN DULL, born Oct. 26, 1914 in Noble county Indiana. Married ROLAND SHAFFER, who was born Dec. 10, 1911.

Their children, none.

3. FREDERIC M. OTT, born Oct. 2, 1882 in Noble county Indiana. Married VERDA WEBBER, who was born April 22, 1889 and died Aug. 8, 1940 aged 51 years.

Their children, one;

a. HAROLD OTT, born Jan. 2, 1911 in Noble county Ind. Not married.

FREDERIC M. OTT, married second, Dec. 29, 1941, ELLA QUINN.

4. ANNIS OTT, born Feb. 28, 1885. Died April 19, 1930 aged 45 years. Buried in Christian Chapel Cemetery, Merriam Indiana. Married JEFF BROWN, who died Jan. 18, 1937. Their children, none.

5. ORLANDO OTT, born Sep. 25, 1888, in Noble county Ind. Married NELLIE BROOKS, who was born Sep 27, 1892 at Lake City Michigan. They now live at Manistique, Michigan.

Their children, six;

a. DALE D. OTT, born Nov. 30, 1914 at Chicago, Illinois. Married HELEN JOHNSON. Their children, four;
(1) ALAN W. OTT, born Dec. 30, 1931 (Adopted)
(2) MELVIN D. OTT, born Oct. 8, 1936.
(3) PHILLIP JAMES OTT, born July 21, 1941.
(4) JANET LOUISE OTT, born Oct. 13, 1942.

b. DALLAS D. OTT, born Feb. 6, 1916 in Noble county Indiana.

c. JOHN C. OTT, born June 22, 1917 in Noble county Ind. Married Linnea Nicholson. Their children, one;
(1) LINDA MARIE OTT, born Dec. 3, 1941.

d. DONALD D. OTT, born Dec. 24, 1919 in Noble county Ind.

e. LOIS N. OTT, born Sep. 24, 1920 in Noble county Ind.

f. ARNOLD OTT, born Nov. 2, 1922 in Noble county Indiana, and was drowned in Manistique Lake Mich. Aug. 11, 1939 aged 17 years.

III. ELLA AMANDA WINEBRENNER, born March 23, 1863 in Noble county Ind. Died July 1, 1927 aged 64 years. Buried in Christian Chapel cemetery. Married RICHARD ITT, who was born April 11, 1855 in Elkhart county Ind. and who died March 9, 1928 aged 73 years. Buried Christian Chapel.
Their children, seven;

1. VIOLA ITT, born Sep. 25, 1881, and died at age of 28 days. She is buried in Christian Chapel cemetery, Merriam Ind.

2. INFANT DAUGHTER, born June 13, 1882 and died at the age of one day. Buried in Christian Chapel cemetery.

3. INFANT SON, born July 5, 1883 and died at the age of one day. Buried in Christian Chapel cemetery.

4. JUSTICE J. ITT, born Dec. 12, 1884 in Noble Twp. Noble Co. Ind. Married Jan. 30, 1909, JENNIE M. HILL, who was born May 2, 1892 in Wayne Township, Noble county Ind. They live at Kendallville.
Their children, four;

a. AUDREY IRENE ITT, born May 26, 1911 at Kendallville, Ind. Married June 8, 1940, CHESTER HART, who was born Dec. 27, 1916 at Austin Lake, Michigan. Their children, none.

b. SYLVIA BERDENA MAE ITT, born Nov. 30, 1915 at Albion Indiana. Married Dec. 14, 1933 to WARREN GREENWALT.
Their children, four;
(1) BETSY JOAN GREENWALT, born Aug. 8, 1934 at Kendallville, Ind.
(2) THOMAS WESLEY GREENWALT, born July 7, 1938 at Kendallville, Ind.
(3) NONDA LEE GREENWALT, born April 22, 1941 at Kendallville, Ind.
(4) MARY LOU GREENWALT, born Feb. 15, 1943 at Kendallville, Ind.

c. RICHARD WILLARD ITT, born Jan. 11, 1917 at Albion, Indiana. Died Feb. 23, 1918 aged one year.

d. GOLDIA MARTHELLA ITT, born Nov. 14, 1920 at Albion, Ind. Married, Sep. 16, 1939, CLAUDE WARNICH. Their children, none.

5. SYLVIA ITT, born June 2, 1888 in Noble county Indiana. Married March 26, 1908, MILTON BELTZEL, who was born Oct. 7, 1886. They live at Mongo, Indiana. Their children, eight;

a. WELCOME BELTZEL, born Jan. 5, 1914. Married MILLIE PARKOP, who was born April 13, 1901.
Their children, two;
(1) CARROL BELLE PARKOP, born Dec. 12, 1933 in Noble county Ind. She is deceased.
(2) ARTHUR HENRY PARKOP, born Jan. 22, 1938 in Noble county Ind.

b. MARIE BELTZEL, born June 30, 1912. Married GLENN ABEL, who was born in Sep. 1901.
Their children, four;
(1) EVA VAUGHN ABEL, born June 3, 1929 in Allen County Ind. Deceased.
(2) EARL DEAN ABEL, born May 2, 1930 in Allen county Indiana.
(3) DELMAR GLENN ABEL, born Jan. 9, 1932 in Allen county Ind.
(4) DONALD ROY ABEL, born May 1, 1934 in Allen county Ind.

c. RALPH BELTZEL, born Feb. 13, 1909. Married GERTRUDE SIGLER, who was born Sep. 5, 1913.
Their children, six;
(1) VEDA MARIE BELTZEL, born Feb. 8, 1930 in LaGrange Co. Ind.
(2) BEVERLY ARLENE BELTZEL, born Nov. 2, 1931 in LaGrange Co.
(3) LAURA MAE BELTZEL, born May 9, 1933 in LaGrange Co. Ind.
(4) ROBERT LaVERNE BELTZEL, born Jun. 4, 1937 in LaGrange Co.
(5) MARILYN ANN BELTZEL, born Jan. 4, 1941 in LaGrange Co. Ind.
(6) GAYNAL JEANNE BELTZEL, born Feb. 18, 1942 in LaGrange Co.

d. DALLAS BELTZEL, born Jan. 7, 1916

e. MARY BELTZEL, born Nov. 16, 1919.

f. GEORGE BELTZEL, born Jan. 12, 1923, died aged five months.

g. DONNA BELLE BELTZEL, born Aug. 6, 1924.

h. FLOY BELTZEL, born Nov. 23, 1931.

6. FLAVIE ITT, born Mar. 2, 1891. Died at age of 6 mo. & 17 days.

7. FLOYD ITT, born Sep. 25, 1896 in Noble county Ind. Married in June 1920, CHARLOTTE STAPLE, born in 1903.
Their children, three;
a. CHARLES ITT, born Oct. 28, 1920 in Noble county Ind.
b. BETTY ITT, born Mar 26, 1923 in Noble county Ind. Married Sep. 13, 1942 CHARLES L. BUZZARD.
c. ROBERT ITT, born in March 1924 in Noble county Ind.

IV. ELIZA MAY WIAEBRENNER, born July 1, 1865 in Noble county Indiana. Died Oct. 11, 1921 aged 56 years. Married, July 2, 1881, JOHN HARTMAN who was born Sep. 24, 1861 in LaGrange county and died Oct. 21, 1898 aged 38 years at Shelby, Oceana county Michigan. Buried with wife in Mt. Hope cemetery.
Their children, seven;
1. MARY JANE HARTMAN, born Dec. 29, 1882 in Noble county Indiana. (present address, 26 Spring St. Fitchburg, Mass.) Married May 19, 1899 to WILLIAM HENRY BATES, who was born Aug. 11, 1869 at Chelsea, Michigan.
Their children, two;
a. CHLOE ELIZABETH BATES, born May 9, 1900 at Owosso, Michigan. Married, June 14, 1923, WERNER A LOFQUIST, at Fitchburg, Mass.
Their children, one;
(1) GORDON BATES LOFQUIST, born May 2, 1924 at Fitchburg, Mass.

b. DOROTHY ELEANOR BATES, born Nov. 24, 1911 at Fitchburg, Mass. Married, Oct. 13, 1934, ALAN McKITTRICK,
Their children, two;
(1) ALAN CRAWFORD McKITTRICK, born July 7, 1935 at Fitchburg.
(2) JUDITH ANN McKITTRICK, born April 23, 1938 at Fitchburg.

2. WILLIAM HENRY HARTMAN, born Aug. 19, 1884 in Noble county Ind. He is an automobile dealer in Hart Michigan. Married May 17, 1903 BERTHA M. KLUDY. Their children, three;
a. IVA MAE HARTMAN, born Aug. 5, 1904 at Hart, Michigan. Died Aug. 19, 1904 aged 14 days. Buried at Hart.
b. EVELYN M. HARTMAN, (Adopted) born Aug. 17, 1915 at Shelby, Mich. (A daughter of William's brother John Frank Hartman)
c. MARGARET JUNE HARTMAN, born June 11, 1921. (Adopted) A daughter of William's sister Edna Elliott)

3. EDNA HARTMAN, born Nov. 22, 1889 in Noble county Ind. Died Mar. 12, 1923, aged 34 years, at Shelby Mich. Buried Mt. Hope cemetery. Married Aldis Elliott, who who was born Oct. 9, 1889, and who died Jan. 12, 1915 aged 26 years. Buried in Mt. Hope Cem. Shelby Mich.
Their children, four;

a. HAROLD ELLIOTT, born Nov. 11, 1907 at Shelby Mich. Married, May 23, 1928, to FLORENCE SEER. (Divorced in Sep. 1933)
Their children, one;
(1) LAWRENCE EDWARD ELLIOTT, born April 23, 1931.

HAROLD ELLIOTT married second, March 21, 1938 to MARGARET KALINOWSKI, who was born June 22, 1916. They live at 2353 Lake Shore Drive, Muskegon, Mich.
Their children, two;
(1) HAROLD RIC ARD ELLIOTT, born Sep. 11, 1939.
(2) WILLIAM EDWARD ELLIOTT, born April 9, 1943.

b. EDWARD ELLIOTT, born Dec. 2, 1909 at Shelby Mich. Killed June 1, 1937 in a motorcycle wreck, aged 28 years. Buried in Mt. Hope cemetery, Shelby Mich. He was not married.

c. ELEANOR ELLIOTT, born July 13, 1912 at Shelby Michigan. Married March 21, 1930, to WELLS SMITH, who was born Jan. 22, 1908. They live at Shelby, RFD #3
Their children, three;
(1) ESTHER KATHLEEN SMITH, born March 15, 1931.
(2) ROY JOHN SMITH, born Sep. 19, 1932 and died Jan. 23, 1934 aged one year and four months.
(3) ROY WELLS SMITH, born Nov. 14, 1934.

d. RUSSELL ELLIOTT, born Mar. 4, 1915. Died May 9, 1919 aged four years. Buried in Mt. Hope cemetery, Shelby, Michigan.

EDNA HARTMAN (ELLIOTT) married second, Nov. 18, 1920, to ALVA BURMEISTER. Their children, one;
a. MARGARET JUNE BURMEISTER, born June 11, 1921. When almost two years old her mother died, and she was taken to raise and adopted by her uncle William H. Hartman. (See "c" under William record) She married, on June 11, 1939, WARREN SAMFORD, and They live at Shelby Michigan.
Their children, one;
(1) JAENNINE ANN SAMFORD, born April 11, 1940 at Shelby, Mich.

4. CHLOE MAY HARTMAN, born July 14, 1892 at Arcadia Michigan. Married Sep. 26, 1912, JOHN W. McCAULEY, who died Jan 25, 1924, and is buried in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Shelby Michigan.
Their children, five:
a. FRANK W. McCAULEY, born May 9, 1914 at Shelby Mich. Married in May, 1941, ETHEL COLLINS. Their children, none.

b. LUCILE W. McCAULEY, born April 9, 1916 at Shelby Michigan. Married in Sep. 1940 to FDD STARMORE, and they live in Muskegon Heights, Mich. at 162 Crescent Av. Their children, none.

c. BURDETT McCAULEY, born Nov. 22, 1918 at Shelby Mich. He is a farmer and unmarried.

d. WILLIAM McCAULEY, born Aug. 27, 1920. Is a farmer. Unmarried.

e. LUCY IRENE McCAULEY, born Nov. 21, 1922 at Shelby Michigan. Lives at home with her mother. Is unmarried.

5. CHARLES J. HARTMAN, born Oct. 15, 1893 in Noble county Ind. Married May 29, 1919, BEATRICE L. GUILD, who was born March 4, 1898. They live in Buffalo N.Y. at 135 Stockbridge Ave.

Their children, three;

a. FORDYCE J. HARTMAN, born Mar. 23, 1920. Married October 14, 1942, PATSY CECILE HENNIGAN, who was born Mar. 5, 1921.

b. RUTH JEAN HARTMAN, born June 20, 1923. Married Feb. 14, 1942, JOHN W. WEITZ, who was born May 17, 1920.

c. HELEN JOYCE HARTMAN, born June17, 1929.

6. JOHN FRANK HARTMAN, born April 21, 1895 at Arcadia Mich. Died Oct. 12, 1918 in service during the 1st World War, at Camp Custer Mich. aged 23 years 5 mo. 21 days. Buried Mt. Hope cemetery, Shelby, Michigan. Married in 1914, MARGARET VALON of Grand Rapids Mich. who died Aug. 17, 1915 at the birth of their daughter.

Their children, one;

a. EVELYN M. HARTMAN, born Aug. 17, 1915 at Shelby Mich. Was taken to raise and adopted by her uncle William Hartman. See "b" in Record of William. She married Mar. 11, 1937, GEORGE FORBEAR, and they live at Shelby Michigan.

Their children, one;

(1) MARILYN KAYE FORBEAR, born Sep. 7, 1939 at Muskegon, Michigan.

7. ALICE F. HARTMAN, born Aug. 12, 1897 at Arcadia Michigan. Died Oct. 14, 1897 aged two months.

V. HENRY HOWARD WINEBRENNER, born Dec. 25, 1867 in Noble county Indiana. Died June 12, 1932 aged 65 years. Buried in Christian Chapel cemetery. Married ALICE EGOLF, who was born Jan. 1, 1880 in Noble county Ind.

Their children, two;

1. FRANK GRERLY WINEBRENNER, born Sep. 3, 1897 in Noble county Ind. Married, Feb. 17, 1935, RUTH W. FROHREICH, who was born July 11, 1916 at Mt. Ayr, Ind. Their children, none.

2. ALBA WINEBRENNER, born Nov. 5, 1898 in Noble county Ind. Married Feb. 8, 1921, HERMAN F. SCHMID, born June 17, 1893 at Majenica, Indiana. Their children, none.

VI. CHARLES JACOB WINEBRENNER, born April 22, 1869 in Noble County Ind. Died Feb. 12, 1896 aged 26 years, 9 mo. 20 days. Buried in Christian Chapel cemetery, Merriam Ind. He was unmarried.

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DAVID S. WINEBRENNER, 4th child of David and Barbara Becker Winebrenner was born Jan. 10, 1834 at Liberty, Montgomery county Ohio, and died Oct. 31, 1910 aged 76 years, 9 mo. & 21 days, in Noble county Ind. Buried in Christian Chapel cemetery, Merriam Indiana. About 1835 with his parents, he moved to Noble county Indiana. He married, on March 31, 1859, JULIA ANN OTT, of Noble county, who was born there Jan. 10, 1841, and died April 4, 1925 aged 84 years. She too is buried in Christian Chapel cemetery. They were members of the Christian Church. Owned a farm of 120 acres about two miles south-west of Merriam.

Their children, three;

I. EDWARD PHARES WINEBRENNER, born April 5, 1860 in Noble county Ind. He still lives north of Columbia City on a farm. Married EVA A. KNEPPER, who was born July 16, 1869 and died Oct. 4, 1924 aged 64 years, in Noble County, Ind. Buried in Christian Chapel.

Their children, one;

1. HARRY WINEBRENNER, born July 24, 1886 in Noble county Ind. Died Oct. 1, 1888 aged 2 years, 2 mo. 7 days. Buried in Christian Chapel.

EDWARD P. married 2nd, Aug. 5, 1925, CORA CRIMM of Columbia City Ind. NOTE-Edward has the old family bible of his father.

II. SARAH ALICE WINEBRENNER, born Feb. 10, 1865 in Noble county Indiana. Died Sep. 27, 1936 aged 71 years, 7 mo. & 17 days in Noble county Ind. Married May 25, 1886, WINFIELD S. RIDDLE of Noble county, who was born Aug. 14, 1858, and died May 8, 1935 aged 76 years, 8 mo. & 24 days. Both are buried in Christian Chapel cemetery, Merriam.

Their children, three;

1. ELVA MAY RIDDLE, born Feb. 11, 1887 in Noble county Ind. Married, June 30, 1923, JOHN H. BROWN of Andrews Indiana, who was born Sep. 18, 1878 at Andrews Ind. They now live on a farm southwest of Merriam. (Elva furnished the information for this record) Their children, none.

2. LILLIE ETHEL RIDDLE, born Jan. 18, 1889 in Noble county Indiana. Married, Sep. 24, 1910, CLEVELAND HENRY STEWART, who was born Nov. 11, 1884 in Whitlet Co. Ind. Now lives at Columbia City.

Their children, two;

a. NATHAN EDISON STEWART, born July 16, 1912 in Ft. Wayne, Ind. He lives at 114 Hanna St. Columbia City, Ind.

b. MARLOWE EMILY STEWART, born Jan. 23, 1918 at Columbia City Ind. Married, June 21, 1941, DON SCHINBECKLER.

Their children, one;

(1) DIANA SUE SCHINBECKLER, born Oct. 27, 1942 at Columbia City.

3. ASA ROY RIDDLE, born Nov. 7, 1891 in Noble county, Ind. Married Dec. 23, 1915, KATIE GOOD TRIMMER, of Noble Co. who was born Feb. 18, 1889 at Decatur Illinois. They now live in Noble county Indiana.

Their children, one;

a. STANLEY JAMES RIDDLE, born May 30, 1920 in Noble county Ind.

III. MARY ELMINA MAY WINEBRENNER, born May 20, 1872 in Noble county Ind. Married, May 16, 1891, WALTER GALLOWAY, of Noble county Indiana.

Their children, two;

1. ERMA GALLOWAY, born July 17, 1898 in Noble county Ind. Married Aug. 6, 1911, RONALD ERICKSON of Noble county. Now live at Churubusco.

Their children, four;

a. MARY ALICE ERICKSON, born July 2, 1913. Married Aug. 15, 1936, FRED NORRIS. They live at Berea Ohio, Near Cleveland.

Their children, two;

(1) JAMES EDGAR NORRIS, born Aug. 17, 1938.
(2) RONALD CLARK NORRIS, born Oct. 17, 1939.

b. LUCY ERICKSON, born June 23, 1916. Married, July 14, 1934, RAYMOND PENROD. They live north of Ft. Wayne on Route #30.

Their children, three;

(1) NANCY MAY PENROD, born May 28, 1935.
(2) CYNTHIA LOU PENROD, born Sep. 5, 1939.
(3) SUZANN MARIE PENROD, born Feb. 21, 1942.

c. GORDON DAVID ERICKSON, born July 7, 1918. Married April 29, 1939 to AILEEN ESTHER BURSHEY. They live at Churubusco, Indiana.

Their children, one;

(1) ELIZABETH ANN ERICKSON, born April 29, 1940 at Churubusco.

d. VIRGINIA RUTH ERICKSON, born April 12, 1921. Married Oct. 12, 1940, ORVAL C. McBRIDE. They live at Churubusco.

Their children, one;

(1) SHARON KAY McBRIDE, born Sep. 24, 1943 at Churubusco, Ind.

2. RUSSELL GALLOWAY, born March 25, 1897 at Petoskey Michigan. Married, Sep. 5, 1922, MARIE CATHERINE WINANS of Livingston Mont. where they now live. Their children, none.

MARY ELMIRA MAY, married 2nd, DAVID M. PENCE of Whitley county Ind. who was born there January 14, 1863.

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SALMON WINEBRENNER, fifth child of David and Barbara Becker Winebrenner, was born Aug. 22, 1837 in Noble county Indiana. Died October 1, 1837, aged one month. Buried in Sanford cemetery near Merriam Indiana, where he has a headstone.

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WINEBRENNER-SCARLETT

ELIZABETH WINEBRENNER, 6th child of David & Barbara Becker Winebrenner, was born Nov. 29, 1838 in Noble Co. Ind. and died in 1908 aged 70 years. Buried at New Paris Ind. Had lived there and Milford. Married, April 1, 1858, ALMON B. SCARLETT, born Dec. 12, 1836, in Miami County Ohio and died Aug. 4, 1897 aged 64 years. He too is buried at New Paris, beside his wife.

Their children, nine;

I. RODNEY FOREST SCARLETT, born Jan. 22, 1859 in Noble Co. Ind. He died Aug. 7, 1933 aged 74 years, and buried at New Paris. He was married, but name of wife not reported.

Their children, one;

1. CELESTE SCARLETT. Married ALBERT WILLIAMS. Live Niles, Mich. Their children, none of record.

II. DAVID NEWMAN SCARLETT, born April 4, 1862, Noble Co. Ind. Died Dec. 30, 1869 aged 7 years. Buried at New Paris, Ind.

III. LYMAN LINCOLN SCARLETT, born July 10, 1863, Noble Co. Ind. Died in Feb. 1943 aged 80 years. Married, Oct. 22, 1910, CYNTHIA EVELYN WYLAND, born Aug. 28, 1876 in Kosciusko Co. Ind. and died May 25, 1932 aged 56 years. Buried at Milford Ind. Their children, none.

IV. BARBARA AMELIA SCARLETT, born Feb. 20, 1866 at Elkhart, Ind. Married WILLIAM FELKNER, son of Thomas Felkner. They now (1949) live at Warsaw Ind. where he is Pres. of the Warsaw Investment Co. Mrs. Felkner has been an invalid for many years. Their children, none of record.

V. MARY EMELINE SCARLETT, born Nov. 29, 1869 at Elkhart. Died April 15, 1919 aged 50 years. Buried at North Webster Ind. Married JOHN RICHARDSON. No children reported.

VI. JOHN WEADE SCARLETT, born Oct. 17, 1872, Benton, Elkhart Co. Ind. Died Oct. 31, 1941 aged 69 years at Elkhart. Buried New Paris. Married, Dec. 26, 1902, SYLVIA BITTLEIN, born Feb. 7, 1881. She now (1946) lives in Elkhart, at 500 Middlebury.

Their children, one;

1. ROBERT ALMON SCARLETT, born June 14, 1908 at Milford, Ind. Married, July 6, 1935, LUCILLE ELIZABETH CRANER, born Nov. 11, 1909 at Elkhart. They live there, at 1604 Hoys Ave.

Their children, one;

a. NANCY SUE SCARLETT, born Oct. 17, 1940 at Elkhart.

VII. WELCOME EUGENE SCARLETT, born Oct. 6, 1875 at Elkhart Ind. Married a MISS STUMP and they live at Milford, Indiana.

Their children, one;

1. Name of child not reported, but said to be married.

VIII. COMPTON PETER SCARLETT, born Oct. 8, 1877 at Elkhart, Ind. Married a MIDD DOTY, who has died. Their children, none.

IX. CLYDE SCARLETT, born March 17, 1880 at Elkhart. Married but name of wife not reported. Live at Evanston, Ill. Their children, none.

WINEBRENNER - WEADE

ELIZA WINEBRENNER, 7th child of David and Barbara Becker Winebrenner, was born Aug. 26, 1842 in Noble Co. Ind. and died Oct. 7, 1914 aged 72 years. Buried at Sparta, Noble County Ind. Married, August 14, 1859, JOHN WEADE, who died Aug. 31, 1911.

Their children, two;

I. CHARLES WEADE, born Sep. 2, 1860 in Iowa. Died Dec. 18, 1939 aged 79 years, and buried at North Webster, Indiana. Married in 1887, EMILY JARRETT, born Oct. 30, 1871, Wawasee, Lake County Ind. and died Sep. 11, 1930 aged 59 years. Buried North Webster.

Their children, one;

1. HARRISON WEADE, born March 15, 1889 at North Webster, Ind. Married, April 12, 1913, MARIE THOMAS. They live at South Bend.

Their children, none.

II. ELLA WEADE, born Mar. 11, 1867. Married Sep. 11, 1886, JEFF GARBER, born in 1862. They live in North Webster, Ind.

Their children, two;

1. ZELMA GARBER, born Feb. 8, 1888 at Merriam, Ind. Married 1903, ED PHELPS

Their children, two;

a. DEVON PHELPS, born Feb. 13, 1907. Married DOROTHY STEVENS.

Their children, one;

(1) BARBARA PHELPS, born Feb. 13, 1929.

b. DONALD PHELPS, born April 21, 1909. Married MARGARET RICHENBAUGH.

Their children, two;

(1) DON ALLEN PHELPS, born May 27, 1930.
(2) MARGARET ANN PHELPS, born Dec. 7, 1932.

2. BESSIE GARBER, born Mar. 8, 1891. Married, July 23, 1911, FOREST CROOP, who is now (1946) deceased.

Their children, one;

a. FOREST CROOP Jr. Born April 10, 1918.

Information furnished by Mrs. Ella Weade Garber, North Webster.

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WINEBRENNER - EDSALL

AMANDA WINEBRENNER, 8th child of David & Barbara Becker Winebrenner was born May 10, 1845 in Noble Co. Ind. and died in 1916 aged 71 yrs at Ft. Wayne, and buriedin Lindenwood cemetery there. Married, Feb. 28, 1868, at Wolf Lake JASPER N. EDSALL, born May 4, 1844 in Ohio, and died Nov. 7, 1924 aged 80 yrs. He served in the Civil War as 1st Sgt. Co. G 44th Ind. Vol. Infantry.

Their children, three;

I. JOHN WILLIAM TECUMSEH EDSALL, born May 18, 1868, Noble Co. Ind. Died Oct. 10, 1911 aged 45 years. Buried Lindenwood Cem. Ft. Wayne. karried in 1896, MAE BOSS. Their children, one;

1. ALICE EDSALL, born Aug. 19, 1897 in New York. Married Dec. 31, 1918, WILL ROBINSON. They live near Ft. Wayne, Ind. Their children, none of record.

II. ROSE BARBARA ELLEN EDSALL, born Oct. 17, 1868 Noble Co. Ind. She lived for many years in Ft. Wayne Indiana, at 1127 Buchanan St., but since about 1946 she has made her home in St. Petersburg, Fla. Being the daughter of a Veteran of the Civil War, she was long active Patriotic Orders, especially the Womens Relief Corps, in local, state and National work. Married, Mar. 18, 1885, at Ft. Wayne, HARRY E. SUTTON, born Sep. 21, 1861 in Darke County Ohio, and died in April 1907 aged but 45 years. Buried in Lindenwood Cemetery, Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Their children, two;

1. ELSIE JO SUTTON, born June 10, 1892 at Ft. Wayne, Ind. Married, Aug. 15, 1907, HARRY DREISELVISS, which union ended in divorce.

Their children, none.

Elsie Jo was active in the U.S. service as a WAC during the World War II, mostly in Florida, and continued work in the service afterward. She and her mother live together.

2. HARRY E. SUTTON Jr. born Feb. 22, 1894 at Ft. Wayne, Ind. Married in August 1912, ETHEL SHAFFER.

Their children, five;

a. DOROTHY MARIE SUTTON, born June 1, 1914. Married WAYNE GODDARD.

Their children, two;

(1) A. Child. Name etc. not reported.
(2) A. Child. Name etc. not reported.

b. DWIGHT EARL SUTTON, born March 30, 1915. No further report.

c. ELSIE MAE SUTTON, born Dec. 25, 1916. No further report.

d. BONNIE BELLE SUTTON, born April 15, 1920. No further report.

e. YVONNE ETHEL SUTTON, born March 28, 1929. As of 1943, she was unmarried and living with her parents.

2. HARRY E. married second, Dec. 30, 1941, MARGUERITE CARVER LESHER. No further report.

III. MORRIS FRANKLIN EDSALL, born Aug. 31, 1871 at Ft. Wayne. Married, 1891, BERTHA BOTTOMELT, Goshen. They live in Florida.

Their children, one;

1. MARIE EDSALL, born June 6, 1894 in New York. Married CLARK BOWERS and they now (1943) live in New York City.

Their children, none of record.

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SKETCH OF
ELIZABETH WINEBRENNER NICODEMUS

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She was born June10, 1810 in Blair County Pa. the daughter of Christian Winebrenner and his second wife Abigail Chrisman Winebrenner, and died Sep. 20, 1864 aged 55 years, in Noble County Indiana Where she is buried in Sanford Cemetery, near Merriam.

Married February 17, 1831 in Blair County Pa. by Rev. G. Brightendall, to CONRAD NICODEMUS of Blair County, who was born there Nov. 4, 1809 and who died Nov. 12, 1892 aged 83 years, in Noble County Indiana and is buried beside his wife in Sanford Cemetery.

Six of their nine children were born in Blair County Pa. then on August 11, 1846 they left there for Indiana by covered wagon, along with brothers John, Andrew and Daniel also sister Sarah Jane Sheffler, all with their families, and there/were possibly members of the Hoover family in the group, the three brothers above, having married three Hoover sisters.

It is not known if the Nicodemus family stopped the first winter in Wayne County Ind., as did several of the others, but it seems that Elizabeth and her husband and children settled in Noble County near Merriam, where they lived for many years and where their other three children were born. Here Conrad Nicodemus farmed, and the house of his old homestead still stands (1943) on the Albion road a few miles north of Merriam, and it was here that both Conrad and Elizabeth died. Their children were nine, as follows;

1. CHRISTIAN, 1832 - 1837. Fell from lead of stone and killed by wagon.

2. MARGARET, 1834 - 1902. Lived about northern Ind. Her children were four of her marriage to EPHRIAM MEAD. She married second, C.B. CARPENTER. of which marriage there were no children.

3. DAVID, 1837 - 1880. Lived in Noble County In. Married Elizabeth Scarlett and of this marriage there no children.

4. FREDERICK W. 1840 - 1869. Lived in Noble County Ind. He was killed by the kick of a horse. Married JANE KEFFORD and they had one child.

5. JEREMIAH EDWARD, 1843 - 1910. Lived about Noble County Ind. Married "LAT" SUSANNE SHEFFLER, his cousin, and they had one child.

6. MARY ANN, 1845 - 1934. Lived in Noble County Ind. Married William E. Pence and their children were five.

7. JOSEPH H. 1849 - 1896. Lived in Noble County Ind. Married JANE KEFFORD NICODEMUS, his brother's widow and they had six children.

8. CAROLINE, 1852 - 1852. Died at the age of one month.

9. SARAH JANE, 1854 - 1915. Lived about Noble County Ind. Married ISAAC SKEELS and their children were seven.

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Some little time after the death of Elizabeth, Conrad Nicodemus married her sister Sarah Jane Sheffler, the widow of Jesse Sheffler. Of this marriage there were no children.

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CHRISTIAN NICODEMUS, first child of Elizabeth Winebrenner and Conrad Nicodemus, was born August 21, 1832 in Blair County Pa. and died May 31, 1837, aged 4 yrs. 7 mos 10 days. He fell from a load of stone and wagon wheel ran over him.

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MARGARET NICODEMUS, second child of Elizabeth W. and Conrad Nicodemus, was born Sep. 25, 1834 in Blair County Pa. and died Jan. 29, 1902 aged 67 years, at Wolflake Ind. and is buried at Ligonier Ind. Married Nov. 17, 1853, in Noble County Ind. to EPHRIAM MEAD, who was born Oct. 7, 1827 in Clarkfield Township, Huron County Ohio, and who died March 30, 1888 of typhoid-Pneumonia, aged 60 years. Buried at Ligonier Ind. He was the son of Allen Mead of Noble County. Their children, four;

I. ALICE OPHELIA MEAD, born Sep. 20, 1855 in Noble Twp. Noble County Ind. and died July 12, 1935 aged 79 years at Elkhart, Ind. Married in 1877 to JOHN W. BUTTS, who was born Oct. 7, 1855 in Noble Co. They lived years at Elkhart where was a farmer and later a tank-wagon salesman for Standard Oil Co. John died July 5, 1907 aged 51 years at Kendallville, Indiana of apoplexy. Their children, seven;

1. FORREST F. BUTTS, born Nov. 16, 1878 in Noble County and now lives at Logansport, Ind. where for the last twenty years he has had a newspaper agency. Married April 19, 1902 KATHERINE COLEMAN who was born Oct. 11, 1878.

Their children, one;

a. DON F. BUTTS, born May 30, 1903 at Kendallville Ind. He now lives at Toledo Ohio, where he is General Sales Manager for a Tobacco & Grocery Company. Married, in April 1925, GENEVA PRUITT, who was born Jan. 25, 1903. Their children, none.

2. ANNA F. BUTTS, born Jan. 2, 1880 in Noble County and who died April 16, 1941 aged 61 years following the 3rd operation for obstruction of the digestive tract. Married in 1900, ART CHAPPELL, who was born April 10, 1871, and who died March 4, 1907 aged 36 years. Was a freight Agt.

Their children, one;

a. FRANCIS PAUL CHAPPELL, born May 24, 1901 at Elkhart Ind. Now lives at Pikesville Maryland, where he is Lubrication Engineer for the American Oil Company. Married June 9, 1930, MARTHA FISHER, who was born March 24, 1909.

Their children, two;

(1) RAMONA KAY CHAPPELL, born Dec. 2, 1934 at Ft. Wayne Ind.

(2) BARBARA LYNN CHAPPELL, born Nov. 28, 1944, Pikesville, Md.

ANNA F. BUTTS, married second, in 1909 to GEORGE W. SIMMONS, who was born May 3, 1876 and who died in 1943 aged 67 years. He had been for years a passenger brakeman for the N.Y.C. R.R. Company.

Their children, none.

3. LOTTIE B. BUTTS, born Feb. 24, 1881 in Noble County. Lives in Elkhart. Married May 23, 1903, to ART KILBURY, who was born Aug. 29, 1881. He is by trade a carpenter & builder, then an automobile distributer, and now foreman for Excell Corp.
Their children, none.

4. CHARLES BUTTS, born Jan 10, 1884, Died Sep. 18, 1884 aged ten mos. of cholera infantum.

5. LELAH H. BUTTS, born July 17, 1887 in Noble Co. Ind. She went to Calif. in 1910 on a vacation trip with a friend, liked the climate and stayed there. She is a book-keeper, auditor and general office manager for the Weltner Motor Co. Redwood, Calif. She is unmarried.

6. MABEL B. BUTTS, born Feb. 23, 1889 in Noble Co. Ind. Married in 1913, GUY D. TROUP, born Oct. 7, 1886. They live in Elkhart, Ind. where he is a machinery salesman. Their children, one;
a. JACK N. TROUP, born Dec. 2, 1915 at Elkhart, Ind. Married June 24, 1939, MARRIAN FLYM, born Dec. 2, 1916. They live at Niles Mich. where he was expediter at the Kawneer Mfg. Co. when he enlisted in the Army July 31, 1943. While in training as a height finder in the A.A.R.T.C. at Camp Callon Calif. he contracted pneumonia and in June 1944 was moved to Ft. Bliss El Paso Tex. and is now (1946) part of the Cadre and is a Corporal Acting as ration clerk.
Their children, two; (one adopted)
(1) SANDRA FLYM TROUP, born July 12, 1940 at Niles Mich.
(2) RICHARD TROUP, born March 17, 1943. (Adopted)

7. ETHEL MAY BUTTS, born in spring of 1892 or 93 and died at the age of nine months and nine days of scarlet fever.

11. ELDORA MEAD, born Nov. 23, 1867 at Champaign Ill. and died Feb. 3, 1939 aged 81 years, at Wolf Lake Ind. and buried there. Married Ruhl Stureman, born Nov. 15, 1856 at Ball Holland, and died June 18, 1940 aged 83 years at Wolf Lake Ind. Buried there. He was one of 15 children, and came to America when 14 yrs old, with an older sister.
Their children, three;
1. EDITH MARIE STUREMAN, born Nov. 29, 1890 in Noble Co. Ind. She died Feb. 3, 1892 aged 15 months. She is buried at Wold Lake

2. FLOY STUREMAN, born June 11, 1892 in Noble Co. Ind. Married IVA BAUGHMAN, born Sep. 16, 1887 in Noble Co. She was a school teacher for some years. They live at Wolf Lake.
Their children, one;
a. GUY BAUGHMAN STUREMAN, born July 28, 1918 at Wolf Lake. He lives at Wolf Lake and is a farmer. Married ELEANOR McBRIDE, born Sep. 21, 1920, Churubusco. Their children, one;

(1) PHILIP STUREMAN, born in Luckey Hospital, Wolf Lake.
(a) MARY STUREMAN, child of Philip, age 12 yrs. in 1950.

3. EDNA STUREMAN, born Nov. 25, 1893 Noble Twp. Noble Co. Ind. Now, 1948, lives at Elkhart Ind. In 1922 to 25, she took Nurses Training at Hinsdale Ill. Sanitarium & Hospital, near Chicago. Was the first nurse employed at Luckey Hospital Wolf Lake Ind. when it first opened in the winter of 1929-30. She has long been a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church. In 1949 she and her husband bought a small farm near Wolf Lake, adjoining the old home farm where she came as a child of 8, when her father bought it. They plan to build a house and move to it in 1950.
MARRIED CARL VanWAGNER, born Feb. 14, 1885. He is a farmer.
Their children, none.

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III. EVA SOPHIA MEAD, born Dec. 5, 1859 In Noble Co. Ind. and died April 6, 1938 aged 78 years at St. Petersburg Fla. and is buried at Zephyrhills, Florida. Married, Oct. 1, 1878, JOHN HAMILTON GRAHAM, born Dec. 20, 1852 at Muscatine Iowa, and died Jan. 3, 1932 aged 79 years, at St. Petersburg Fla. and buried beside his wife. He was the sone of James and Mary Ann Kegg Graham of Noble Co. Ind. He attended Oberlin College, Ohio (played violin in orchestra there) and graduated from Battle Creek (Mich) college. Learned the trade of carriage maker, and from about 1875 to 85 ran a shop at Ligonier Ind. with his brother Jacob, then sold his interest to Jacob and started a shop of his own in Ligonier, but after two years, about 1887 closed it and moved to Moline Kansas, where his stepmother and her second husband lived, and there started a shop, running it for 8½ years, when he sold it and returned to Ind. visiting first at Ligonier, then started a carriage shop at Kendallville which he ran for about 5 years. He then left this to run a farm at Green Center for 2 years. In 1904 he went to Wolf Lake where he ran a carriage shop for four years, leaving in May 1907 for Tuluca N.C. seeking a warmer Climate. Here he ran a carriage shop for 3½ years, then left in 1910 for Florida, settling at St. Petersburg, where he lived out his life. Here he worked awile as a carpenter and builder. He was long an active member of the Seventh Day Advent Church, working in the various places he lived.

Their children, twelve;

1. WILLIE ERNEST GRAHAM, born July 25, 1879 at Ligonier, Ind. Since 1938 he has lived in Calif. in the vicinity of San Bernardino, and now, 1949 lives 11 miles north of town on the Cajon Pass road. When a young man he went to Battle Creek Mich. to attend the S.D.A. College, and worked at the S.D.A. Sanitorium also. Learned the trade of carpenter, painter and interior decorator. Lived at Battle Creek 11 yrs. leaving about 1917 for Tuluca N.C. where his parents then lived. About a year later he went to Fla. settling near St. Petersburg, where he lived until 1938 when he moved to Calif. locating

at Mentone near Redlands, where he worked as a carpenter and builder for several yenrs. He married, Feb. 25, 1904, at Battle Creek Mich., FLORA MURDOCK, which marriage ended in divorce. Their children, one;
a. VIOLET ESTHER, born Feb. 20, 1905 at Battle Creek. She died at the age of three months.

1. WILLIE married second, at DeFuniac Springs Fla., ESSIE VANDA HOUSEMAN BISHOP, born in 1895, which after 22 years, also ended in divorce. She now lives in Calif. Their children, four;
a. ERNEST EARL HENRY FORD GRAHAM, born Mar. 20, 1922 at DeFuniac Springs Fla. He now, 1949, lives at San Bernardino. Married, Aug. 26, 1940, FRANCES JOHNSON. Their children, one;
(1) THOMAS EARL GRAHAM, born July 5, 1943 at Loma Linda.

b. VIOLET EVA GRAHAM, born April 4, 1924 at St. Petersburg. Married JAMES GORLON WAMPLER, which ended in divorce. She now, 1949, lives in San Bernardino, Calif.
Their children, two;
(1) DOLLY ELAINE WAMPLER, born June 6, 1943, San Bernardino, Calif.
(2) DARWOOD EARL WAMPLER, born Sep. 5, 1945, San Bernardino, Calif.

c. LOTTIE RAY GRAHAM, born July 15, 1927, at St. Petersburg. Married WATSON JIM LEDBETTER, of Kentucky. They have lived for several years at San Bernardino, Calif.
Their children, two;
(1) KATHERINE LEDBETTER, born Aug. 21, 1943, San Bernardino, Calif.
(2) ELIZABETH JACQUELINE L. born July 3, 1948, San Bernardino.

d. KATIE HELEN GRAHAM, born Aug. 25, 1929, DeFuniac Springs, Fla. Married JAMES ALBERT BAEHLER, born Dec. 11, 1919, San Berdu. He is a truck driver for Triangle Certified Concrete Co.
Their children, two;
(1) DIANNA BAEHLER, born Sep. 11, 1945 at Loma Linda, Calif.
(2) DONNA LEE BAEHLER, born July 16, 1948 San Bernardino.

1. WILLIE Married third, MRS. EUDORA CODICE of Redlands, born Mar. 10, 1879 at Cimmeron Kansas. She is a Registered Nurse.

2. JAMES EPHRIAM GRAHAM, born April 28, 1881 at Ligonier, Ind. Died Sep. 11, 1881 aged 4 months & 13 days at Ligonier Ind.

3. FRANK JASTICK GRAHAM, born May 25, 1882 at Ligonier, Ind. Died April 27, 1908 aged 25 years 11 months

at Tuluca N.C. only a very short time after his marriage. Buried at Tuluca. Married in 1908. Name of wife not reported. Their children, none.

4. ELZIE CHARROK GRAHAM, born Sep. 25, 1884 at Ligonier Ind. He was a contractor & builder for many years. Lived in N.C. then Fla. and for past 15 years near Chattanooga Tenn. where for the past 8 years he has operated a Rest Home. Married in 1909, AMANDA ELEANOR SCHUSTER, of Jacksonville, Fla. who was born April 16, 1892 at Chicago, Ill.

Their children, nine;

a. CHARROK DOWNING GRAHAM, born April 23, 1910 at Cincinnati, Ohio. Married MARY EVELYN LYLE of Ashlens, Alabama.

Their children none;

b. THELMA BELLE GRAHAM, born Sep. 19, 1915 at Jackson, Mich. Married CLARENCE ELLYSON of Panama City.

Their children, one;

(1) PRESTON JEAN ELLYSON, born Apr. 5, 1941 at Panama City.

c. IRVING LaVERNE GRAHAM, born Apr. 10, 1918 at St. Petersburg. He now (1948) lives at Chattanooga, Tenn. Married, Sep. 9, 1939, MILDRED FRANCES MIZE, born Feb. 25, 1919.

Their children, four;

(1) CHARLES CASPER GRAHAM, born Sep. 6, 1940 Birmingham, Ala.
(2) ELEANOR SUE GRAHAM, born May 6, 1943, Newport News, Va.
(3) MILDRED MARIE GRAHAM, born April 11, 1945 Oyster Point Va.
(4) ERMA EMELINE GRAHAM, born Oct. 15, 1947 Chattanooga, Tenn.

d. DELICE ELEANOR GRAHAM, born Mar. 13, 1920 St. Petersburg, Fla. Married Sep. 11, 1946 at Chattanooga, WILSON E. NOWLAND.

Their children, one;

(1) GENEE FRANCES NOWLAND, born June 19, 1947 Chattanooga, Tenn.

e. ALVIN LEON GRAHAM, born Feb. 4, 1923 at St. Petersburg, Fla. Married, June 29, 1941 at Rising Faun Fla. LUCILLE PETERSON. They live at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Their children, three;

(1) CHARROK CLENDENNING GRAHAM, born May 1, 1942 Chattanooga.
(2) ALVIN LEON GRAHAM Jr. born Nov. 8, 1944 at Chattanooga.
(3) RONAL DOWING GRAHAM, born Nov. 24, 1946 at Chattanooga.

f. CORINE ORELIA GRAHAM, born Oct. 14, 1924 Hendersonville N.C. She now (1948) lives at Chattanooga Tenn. where she is a Bible teacher in a school. She is unmarried.

g. JAMES EPHRIAM GRAHAM, born Sep. 16, 1926 at St. Petersburg. He is a book salesman. Married a nurse, name not reported.
Their children, none.

h. OBED OCTAVUS GRAHAM, born Sep. 10, 1928 at Ashland, Ala. He now, 1946, lives with parents at Chattanooga, Tenn. He is unmarried.

i. CHLOE EMELIA GRAHAM, born Aug. 21, 1930 at Ashland, Ala. She now, 1948, lives with parents at Chattanooga, Tenn. She is unmarried.

5. FLORENCE ELVA GRAHAM, born April 26, 1886 at Ligonier Ind. - Married ALBERT S. WRIGHT, born in 1871 in Mich. Divorced.
Their children, two;
a. LEILA HAZEL WRIGHT, born Jan. 26, 1909 at Des Moines Iowa. Died Oct. 5, 1941 aged 32 years at San Bernardino, Calif. Married WALTER M. CORWIN.
Their children, three;
(1) MILTON ALFRED CORWIN, born Jan 21, 1927 Glendale, Calif.
(2) GLEN CAROL CORWIN, born Sep. 25, 1928 at Glendale, Calif.
(3) DWANE MEAD CORWIN, born Feb. 13, 1930 at Loma Linda, Calif.

b. EDWIN ALFRED WRIGHT, born July 14, 1913 at St. Petersburg, Fla. Married IRENE POLLOCK, a nurse. Ended in divorce.
Their children, none.

5. FLORENCE married second, June 23, 1942, at Los Angeles, Calif. ALFRED E. CHRISTIE, born June 19, 1886, Highsanti Co. Minn. He had lived in Calif. since about 1910. They now, 1949, live at Yucaipa, Cal.

6. DORA VIOLA GRAHAM, born May 1, 1888 at Moline, Elk Co. Kansas. Died May 29, 1909 aged 21 years at Tuluca, N.C.

7. BERTHA LUELLA GRAHAM, born Jan. 15, 1890 at Moline, Kansas. Married ROBERT L. UNDERWOOD, born Dec. 31, 1880, Waynesville, N. C. They now, 1949, live near Santa Ana, Calif.
Their children, one;
a. ERNEST HAMILTON BARTLETT UNDERWOOD, born Jan. 14, 1916, at Waynesville, N.C. Married, at Marietta Ga. EVELYN BRASWELL, born there, Dec. 7, 1916. In 1949 they moved from Georgia to California.
Their children, four;
(1) HAROLD EARNEST UNDERWOOD, born July 27, 1937, Ellijay Ga.
(2) DAVID ROBERT UNDERWOOD, born June 29, 1941, Atlanta, Ga.
(3) RAYMOND ALBERT UNDERWOOD, born Aug. 28, 1943, Graysville, Tenn.
(4) RALPH LEE UNDERWOOD, born April 12, 1946, Graysville, Tenn.
(5) RONALD EUGENE UNDERWOOD, born Jan. 20, 1948, Graysville, Tenn.

8. MINNIE MAY GRAHAM, born April 29, 1891 at Moline Kansas. Died Feb. 6, 1892 aged 9 mo. & 8 days at Moline Kansas.

9. EARL MEAD GRAHAM, born Dec. 14, 1892 at Moline Kansas. With his parents he moved to Indiana, to North Carolina then to Florida and to California. Married, May 19, 1914, at St. Petersburg, Fla. ESTHER MAE NIKKELSEN, born Jan. 21, 1887 at Foy Bippi Wisconsin. She attended school at Berien Springs and was a school teacher in Florida at the time of her marriage. For the thirty years following their marriage they lived at St. Petersburg, Fla. The trade of Mr. Graham was subdividing, building and selling property, at which he succeeded and within about twenty years had holdings of some sixty or seventy thousand dollars. The break of 1929 brought troubles with Real Estate, and he sold the city properties, bought three dairies, which supplied four towns with milk. Also took up stock raising. In 1935 he sold the ranch and dairy business, then bought a furniture store in St. Petersburg, which they operated until they left for Calif. in 1939. There in Log Anglees he went back to building until World War II, when he bought a ranch near Lancaster Calif. and there raised dairy cattle for four years. After the war he returned to the building business, then helped by his sons, who thus learned a trade, having now lived at Yucaipa, San Bernardino County, Calif. since 1944.

Mead and his wife are both musical, his hobby being church music, especially orchestra, having conducted one most of his adult life. This also includes choirs and male quartettes. His group of 18 players and 3 singers has been heard in many churches of Southern Calif., mostly Seventh Day Adventist of which they are members. Each of the children learned to play several instruments professionally, they forming the nucleus of his orchestras.

Their children, six, the 1st one adopted;

a. CAROL META GRAHAM, born Dec. 18, 1917 at Richmond, Va. Married WILFRED D. NEVES, of Sacramento Calif. born there May 30, 1916. He sells building materials. Lives at San Jose.

Their children, three;

(1) JAMES WILFRED NEVES, born Aug. 7, 1939 at Sacramento.
(2) DAVID LEON NEVES, born Nov. 7, 1940 at Sacramento.
(3) PAMELA SUE NEVES, born Nov. 6, 1947 at San Jose, Calif.

b. WAYNE HUBERT GRAHAM, born April 25, 1923 at St. Petersburg, Fla. Attended Advent Union Academy at Glendale, Calif. He is a building contractor and lives at Yucaipa, California. Married Feb. 11, 1943, NICOLENE CHENEY, born Nov. 12, 1924, at Newhall, California.

Their children, two;

(1) ROLAND WAYNE GRAHAM, born Jan. 23, 1944 Lancaster, Calif.

(2) DARLENE MARIE GRAHAM, born Aug. 24, 1946 Loma Linda Hospital.

c. LESTER MEAD GRAHAM, born Mar. 27, 1925 at St. Petersburg, Fla. Attended Advent Union College Glendale Calif. Served one and a half years in World War II, Pacific Area and Japan. He is now with State Highway Dept. at Sacramento. Lies Corning. Married, July 31, 1948, MARILYN GERTRUDE ROBBINS, who was born July 31, 1928 at Corning California.

Their children, one;

(1) NETA LYNN GRAHAM, born Jan. 9, 1948 at Corning, Calif.

d. ELVA ELMEDA GRAHAM, born Mar. 27, 1925 at St. Petersburg, Fla. A twin to Lester and died in infancy.

e. FLOYD QUINTIN GRAHAM, born Nov. 20, 1927, at Mango, Florida. Attended Adventist Union Academy, and is now, 1949, a ranch foreman on an alfalfa ranch at Conchella, California. He is unmarried.

f. CHARLES RAY GRAHAM, born June 11, 1930 at Mango, Fla. Attended Adventist Union Academy, Glendale. Worked for a time as a Forrester for the State. He is now, 1949, helping his father in building construction at Yucaipa. He in unmarried.

10. HAZEL SERENA GRAHAM, born Aug. 28, 1894 at Moline Kansas. Married, April 30, 1914, at St. Petersburg, Fla, ARCHIE LaFAYETTE UNDERWOOD, born May 21, 1882 at Waynesville, N.C. They have lived at Yucaipa Calif. since about 1935.

Their children, two;

a. PAULINE MILDA UNDERWOOD, born Sep. 7, 1915 St. Petersburg. Married, Nov. 6, 1945, at LaSierra College California, BOWMAN ANDREW DEAL, born Oct. 18, 1917 in Bullock County Ga. They lived at LaSierra while Bowman was taking a Ministerial course at the college, where he graduated in May, 1949. Bowman had served four years in the Army in World War II as a Sgt. Pauline was Secretary to the President of the Southeastern California Conference of the S.D.A.

Their children, none.

b. MELVIN GRAHAM UNDERWOOD, born Feb. 18, 1921, St. Petersburg, Fla. Served 2½ years in the Army in World War II. He was a Sgt. and in Europe most of the time. Married, Oct. 28, 1947, at his home in Yucaipa, JULIA ELIZABETH CLINE, of Cincinnati Ohio, born there Dec. 7, 1918. She attended S.D.A. Academy at Mt. Vernon Ohio. Melvin is a Registered Nurse and worked for a time in the hospital at San Diego. Later worked at the hospital at San Bernardino. Their children, none.

11. ELLA BETTIE PEARL GRAHAM, born Jan. 3, 1896, Moline Kansas. Married, Mar. 15, 1917, JOHN DALTON, born July 29, 1890 at Inverness, Fla. He is a plumbing contractor. Lived in Fla. for some 30 years. Moved to Calif. about 1946. They made their home at Yucaipa until 1948 when they went to Washington, D.C. to live temporarily, because of their son John attending the Adventist College there.

Their children, six;

a. WALTER CARLYLE DALTON, born Mar. 2, 1918, St. Petersburg, Fla. He is an auto body and fender man. Married, Dec. 25, 1939, HILDA E. PILCHER, born Aug. 1, 1920.

Their children, five;

(1) WALLACE CARLYLE DALTON, born Jan. 3, 1941, St. Petersburg.
(2) PAULINE ELIZABETH DALTON, born Mar. 11, 1942, Glendale. Died April 29, 1942 aged six weeks.
(3) JERRY WAYNE DALTON, born April 24, 1943, St. Petersburg.
(4) CAROLYN LOUISE DALTON, born Jan. 23, 1945, Lancaster, Calif.
(5) ROY WALTER DALTON, born Sep. 10, 1947 at Yucaipa, Calif.

b. LELAH PEARL DALTON, born Oct. 2, 1919, St. Petersburg, Fla. Married, May 5, 1941, CHARLES W. FLYNN, born Oct. 16, 1892. He is by occupation an electrician.

Their children, one;

(1) CHARLSIE PEARL FLYNN, born Oct. 1, 1944.

c. IRENE JOSEPHINE DALTON, born Aug. 9, 1921, St. Petersburg. Married, May 5, 1942, ROBERT F. BEEDLE, born Mar. 31, 1896 at Garrett, Douglas Co. Ill. He is an auto Mechanic. Their children, None.

d. LOUISE CAROLINE DALTON, born Sep. 24, 1923, St. Petersburg, Fla. Married, April 5, 1946, PHILIP SAMUEL YOUNG Jr. born April 26, 1921. He is a 7th Day Advent Ministerial student.

Their children, none.

e. LUELLA BERNICE DALTON, born Nov. 29, 1924, St. Petersburg, Fla. She is unmarried.

f. JOHN GRAHAM DALTON, born Mar. 27, 1928, St. Petersburg, Fla. He is now, 1948, attending Washington D.C. Mission Advent College. He is unmarried.

12. EDITH BERNICE GRAHAM, born Sep. 25, 1897 at Kendallville, Ind. She now, 1948-49, lives at Yucaipa, Calif. Married, Sep. 4, 1917, IRA McKINLEY SAIN, born April 5, 1897 at Tulucs, N.C. This ended in divorce in 1940.

Their children, two;

a. IRENE LILLIAN SAIN, born Sep. 4, 1921 in Hildebran, N.C. Married, April 2, 1940, NEAL DAYMON HOYT.

Their children, three;

(1) ROBERT NEAL HOYT, born Dec. 28, 1940 at Portland Oregon.
(2) CAROLYN IRENE HOYT, born Dec. 5, 1943, Grants Pass, Oregon.
(3) PAULINE EDITH HOYT, born June 10, 1945, Grants Pass, Oregon.

b. EVE GEORGIANA BAIN, born Mar. 26, 1923 at Hildebran, N.C. Married, Mar. 4, 1945, at LaSierra Heights, Arlington, Calif., ALRIAN LeROY PITTSLEY.
Their children, none.

12. EDITH BERNICE married second, June 10, 1947, JOHN S. MADSEN, in Hollywood, California.

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IV. IDA MORTON MEAD, born Jan. 8, 1865 in Noble Co. Indiana. She died Nov. 11, 1881 aged 16 years, 10 months of typhoid fever, at Ligonier Indiana, and was buried there.

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MARGARET NICODEMUS MEAD, married second, June 14, 1891, in Kansas, to ELISHA B. CARPENTER of Kansas. They moved to Wolf Lake Indiana, where they lived until Margaret's death in 1902, after which Mr. Carpenter returned to Kansas.

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DAVID NICODEMUS, 3rd child of Elizabeth Winebrenner Nicodemus and Conrad Nicodemus, was born July 30, 1837 near Martinsburg, in Morrison's Cove, Blair County (then Bedford) Pa. and died May 28, 1880 aged 42 years, 9 mo. & 28 days in Noble Co. Ind. and is buried in Christian Chapel cemetery at Merriam. He was a farmer and had come from Penn. when a boy, with his parents, grew up in Noble County, and lived out his life here. Married, in Noble County, ELIZABETH SCARLETT, born Aug. 6, 1842 in Noble County and died there June 6, 1880 aged 37 years, 10 months and 10 days. Buried beside her husband.
Their children, none.

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FREDERICK W. NICODEMUS, 4th child of Elizabeth W. and Conrad Nicodemus, was born June 27, 1840 near Martinsburg, in Morrison's Cove, Woodbury Twp. Blair Co. (then Bedford) Pa. and was killed June 26, 1869 at the age of 28 years, 11 months and 26 days, in Noble Co. Ind. by a horse. He is buried in Sanford cemetery near Merriam. Married, June 21, 1863, MARY JANE KEMPORD of Ohio, born there May 30, 1842 and died Aug. 19, 1909 aged 67 years, at Albion Ind. and is buried there in Rose Hill cemetery.
Their children, one;

I. AUGUSTA JANE NICODEMUS, born April 3, 1865 in Noble County Indiana. Died Sep. 2, 1888 aged 23 years, in So. Chicago, Illinois and is buried there in Mt. Olivet Cemetery. Married JOHN MICHAEL FAGAN, born Feb. 11, 1862 in Chicago, and now, March 1946, is still in good health and lives in So. Chicago. His occupation had been that of Railroad

Switchman. After marriage they lived in Indiana, at Fort Mitchell, south of Albion, Noble County for several years.

Their children, two;

1. MARY LORETTA FAGAN, born Oct. 14, 1882 at Albion, Ind. and now, 1946, lives in Chicago Ill. at 8235 Ingleside Ave. Married, Jan. 26, 1904, ALBERT LEO DOLAN, born Feb. 6, 1880, at Ft. Wayne Ind. and died June 9, 1944 aged 63 years. He is buried in Holy Sepulchere, Chicago. He was a R.R. Blacksmith.

   Their children, nine;

   a. MARY BERNARDINE DOLAN, born Jan. 20, 1908, So. Chicago. Died Nov. 15, 1915 aged 10 years at So. Chicago, of Bronchitis and Measles. Buried in Mt. Olivet Cemetery there.

   b. WILLIAM JOHN DOLAN, born Dec. 25, 1908 at So. Chicago. Married Oct. 31, 1931, HELEN SOISLEK, born Jan 23, 1909.

      Their children, two;

      (1) WILLIAM JOHN DOLAN, Jr. born Jan. 17, 1934 So. Chicago.
      (2) ALBERT LEO DOLAN, born Feb. 28, 1937 at So. Chicago.

   c. JEANNETTE AGNES DOLAN, born Sep. 28, 1909 at So. Chicago. Married Mar. 17, 1932, HERRY EDWARDS, born Apr. 21, 1907.

      Their children, two;

      (1) LAUREL JEAN EDWARDS, born Mar. 23, 1941, So. Chicago.
      (2) JANICE LILLEA EDWARDS, born Oct. 11, 1943, So. Chicago.

   d. FRANCIS LEO DOLAN, born Aug. 10, 1912, at So. Chicago. Married, June 10, 1932, HARRIET SCHWARTZ, born Dec. 8, 1914.

      Their children, one;

      (1) PATRICIA HARRIET DOLAN, born Aug. 3, 1933, So. Chicago.

   e. JAMES EDWARD DOLAN, born Dec. 15, 1914 at So. Chicago. Married, Oct. 15, 1937, FRANCES E. PERTELL, born Nov. 29, 1918.

      Their children, three;

      (1) JAMES DOLAN, born May 23, 1939, at So. Chicago.
      (2) MARILYN DOLAN, born June 19, 1941 at So. Chicago.
      (3) GERALD DOLAN, born Oct. 14, 1943 at So. Chicago.

   f. EUGENE THOMAS DOLAN, born Aug. 30, 1917, So. Chicago. Married, Sep. 14, 1940, RITA ANDREWS, born Mar. 20, 1922.

      Their children, two;

      (1) THOMAS DOLAN, born June 10, 1941.
      (2) KAREN MARY DOLAN, born Sep. 3, 1943.

   g. CHARLES EDWARD DOLAN, born Apr. 30, 1919 at So. Chicago. He saw service in World War II and was in Iceland 27 months. He was in the service over four years. Married, Feb. 16, 1946, ARLENE RHODE, born Oct. 2, 1922.

      Their children, none.

h. ELAINE DOROTHY DOLAN, born Feb. 5, 1921, at So. Chicago. Married, Sep. 5, 1942, GEORGE THICHAVA, born Jan. 18, 1921.
Their children, none.

i. RUTH MARGARET DOLAN, born Sep. 12, 1922 at So. Chicago. Married, Feb. 13, 1946, RILEY POPPELL, born May 13, 1920.
Their children, none.

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2. JOHN FAGAN, born Sep. 4, 1885 at Bremen, Marshall Co. Indiana. He is a Machinist and they live at Roseland, Ill. Married, Nov. 10, 1909, MARY ANN TOOHEY, born June 23, 1890.
Their children, four;
a. JOHN FAGAN Jr. born July 25, 1910 at So. Chicago.
b. WILLIAM FAGAN, born July 17, 1911. Married, Aug. 22, 1942, FLORENCE E. LYLE, born Feb. 11, 1915. Their children, none.
c. THOMAS FAGAN, born July 14, 1913 at So. Chicago.
d. PHYLLIS FAGAN, born Feb. 16, 1916 at So. Chicago. Married, June 1, 1936, GERVASE SKOPP, born Dec. 31, 1911.
Their children, one;
(1) THOMAS SKOPP, born Jan. 7, 1943 at So. Chicago.

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The foregoing Fagan-Dolan record was furnished Mar. 21, 1946 by Mrs. Mary Fagan Dolan, grand-daughter of Fred W. Nicodemus.

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JEREMIAH EDWIN NICODEMUS, 5th child of Elizabeth W. & Conrad Nicodemus, was born June 30, 1843 near Martinsburg, in Morrison's Cove, Blair Co. (then Bedford) Pa. and died in July 1910 aged 67 years in Noble County Indiana. Buried in Wolf Lake cemetery. He had moved with his family, when a small child, in 1846, from Pa. to Ind. and was a farmer in Noble Co. where he lived out his life. Married, June 21, 1863, in Noble Co. SUSANNE "LAT" SHEFFLER, his cousin, who was born Aug. 10, 1845, in Blair Co. Pa. and who died Sep. 20, 1921 aged 75 years at Wolf Lake Ind. where she is buried beside her husband. (See also, Sheffler Record).
Their children, one;
I. ORLIE NICODEMUS, born Jan. 1, 1870 at Wolf Lake Ind. and died in Nov. 1945 aged 76 years, at Ligonier, Ind. Married SIDNEY STAGE of Wolf Lake, which ended in divorce.
Their children, two;
1. PERL STAGE, born Sep. 16, 1889 at Wolf Lake, Indiana. Married VERA MAY STAGE of Ligonier (no relation).
Their children, two;
a. HAROLD STAGE, born June 18, 1918. Married ZETTA BACH.
Their children, two;
(1) SUETTA STAGE, born July 15, 1942 at Ligonier, Ind.
(2) DONNA JEAN STAGE, born Dec. 31, 1945 at Ligonier, Ind.

b. BETTY JOAN STAGE, born Mar. 11, 1924 at Ligonier, Ind.

2. CORAL STAGE, born Oct. 27, 1891 at Wolf Lake Ind. Married STANLEY SURFUS, born Jan. 22, 1888, Wolf Lake, Ind.

Their children, One;

a. GERTRUDE SURFUS, born Sep. 3, 1911 at Wolf Lake Ind. Married ARTHUR PRIEST of Albion Ind.

Their children, two;

(1) JAMES EDWARD PRIEST, born Aug. 23, 1932.
(2) LUE ANN PRIEST, born March 6, 1935.

I. ORLIE married second, WILLIAM CARROTHERS of Albion. born in Ind.

Their children, none.

I. ORLIE married third, A.H. MILLS, of LaGrange where they now live. Information as of March 1944.

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MARY ANN NICODEMUS, 6th child of Elizabeth W. & Conrad Nicodemus, was born Nov. 17, 1845 near Martinsburg, in Morrison's Cove, Blair Co. (then Bedford) Pa. and died Jan. 4, 1934 aged 89 years, at Columbia City Ind. and is buried in Blue River Cemetery near Columbia City. Married Aug. 10, 1865, WILLIAM HENRY PENCE, born Oct. 5, 1841, in Whitley Co. son of Abraham and Nancy (Bucklen) Pence, and he died March 4, 1916 aged 75 years, at Syracuse Ind. Buried in Blue River Cemetery, near Columbia City Ind. He served in the Civil War in Co. K. of the 88th Ind. Vol. Infantry, for three years. He was a vocal music teacher for many years. After marrying they lived on the Carter farm near Collins, Whitley Co. Ind. until about 1870 when he bought a farm in Noble Co. but sold it about a year later, and moved to Ligonier where he ran a grocery, meat market and restaurant until about 1875 when he moved to Ft. Wayne where he worked for the Grand Rapids & Ind. Railroad Co. first as a fireman then as an Engineer. A strike about 1878 ended this work and he moved to Arkansas, where he bought a large farm near Lavaca in Sebastian County, which is still known as the Pence Old Home place. The "Old Home Cemetery" is on this place.

While living at Lavaca he served as Juryman in the U.S. Court at Ft. Smith, Arkansas nearby, where affairs of the Indian Territory, (now Okla.) were handled. Apparently about 1880 they moved to Sangamon County Illinois, in or near Springfield, at which place their first child, Orten LeRoy died (1881) aged 14 years. Apparently they returned to Arkansas, for in 1885, the 2nd child Bernard Cassius died their aged 16 years.

Sometime later they moved to Merriam, Noble Co. Ind. where he was Justice of the Peace for a time. They moved to Syracuse Ind. where he spent the remainder of his life. Was a Baptist for years.

Their children, five;

I. ORTEN LeROY PENCE, born April 2, 1867 in Whitley Co. Ind. and died in 1881 aged 14 years in Sangamon Co. Ill. Buried there.

II. BERNARD CASSIUS PENCE, born Feb. 22, 1869 in Whitley Co. Ind. Died in 1885 aged 16 years at Lavaca Ark. Buried at Van Buren, Ark.

III. FRANKLIN ERWIN PENCE, born May 24, 1872 at Ligonier, Ind. Died Mar. 20, 1920 aged 48 years at Ft. Smith Ark. Buried there. He went to Ark. about 1878 with his parents, grew up there and took up farming. When his father left Arkansas about 1884, he bought the old home place and was very successful. Married, Aug. 12, 1892, at Lavaca, Ark. MARY JANE FERRELL, born at Lavaca Feb. 22, 1876 the daughter of William Christian and Belle (VanHorn) Ferrell. Mary Jane died Feb. 22, 1906 aged exactly 30 years, and was buried in the Old Home Cemetery.

Their children, seven;

1. CORA MILDRED PENCE, born June 15, 1894 at Lavaca Arkansas. She was but 12 when her mother died and was taken to raise by the Pence grandparents, then living at Syracuse Ind. Married, Oct. 11, 1911, WILLIAM ELDON WYLAND, born June 14, 1889 at Syracuse Ind. son of Samuel and Mary (Warble) Wyland. He died Aug. 11, 1946, aged 57 yrs. at Syracuse, Ind. He was by trade a painter and interior decorator, and they lived on their fruit farm 3½ miles south west of Syracuse, where Cora still lives, spending the winters in Calif. Cora furnished the entire Pence History information.

   Their children, one;

   a. ELDON RUSSELL WYLAND, born Dec. 25, 1912, Syracuse Ind. Married, June 30, 1933, at Milford Ind. by Rev. Noble Neff, MILDRED MAE ANDERSON, born Sep. 24, 1914 at Kokomo, Ind. the daughter of Orlando and Blanche Anderson of Indianapolis. Eldon is by trade a painter and decorator, as well as a plumber and lives at Dewart Lake Syracuse Ind. He also runs the W.C. Redman Chocolate Co. which is now, 1946, making for the U.S. Govt. jellies and jams.

      Their children, four;

      (1) PATRICIA ANN WYLAND, born Oct. 10, 1934, Syracuse, Ind.
      (2) ELDONA JOAN WYLAND, born Mar. 9, 1937 at Syracuse, Ind.
      (3) ELDON RUSSELL WYLAND, born Oct. 16, 1939, Syracuse, Ind.
      (4) DUKE WYLAND, born June 26, 1945, at Syracuse, Ind.

2. CLARENCE NEWTON PENCE, born May 4, 1895 at Lavaca, Arkansas. He lives at Yucon, Canadian County, Ark. Is not married.

3. CLYDE WILBERT PENCE, born Nov. 11, 1896 at Lavaca, Arkansas. Married OPAL BROWN of Bonham Texas, daughter of James Brown. She was born at Bonham. Died Dec. 16, 1943. Clyde is a farmer, and now, 1946, lives in Fannin Co. Texas.

   Their children, three;

   a. HOWARD PENCE, born July 22, 1924 at Bonham Texas. He was in the Army in World War II.

   b. WILBERT MILLER PENCE, born Jan. 26, 1929 at Bonham, Texas.

c. VIRGINIA ANN PENCE, born June 18, 1934 at Bonham, Texas.

4. LENA CHRISTIAN HARPER, born Sep. 13, 1898 at Lavaca Ark. Married, Aug. 6, 1916, BEN HENRY GRAHAM, born at Lavaca, the son of Samuel and Julia Graham. They live at Lavaca, where Ben is a barber and keeps a small store.

Their children, five;

a. GARRETT GRAHAM, born Sep. 9, 1917 at Lavaca, Ark. He entered the U.S. Army early in 1940. Is reported to have married and had one child. Name of wife & child not known.

b. SADIE IRENE GRAHAM, born Jan. 29, 1920, at Lavaca, Ark. Married CHESTER PLUCKNELK, a Sgt. in World War II.

Their children, none reported.

c. ROLAND DALE GRAHAM, born Mar. 30, 1934, at Lavaca, Ark. He entered the U.S. Army in February 1943.

d. HALLACE TRENTON GRAHAM, born July 8, 1925, at Lavaca, Ark.

e. JEAN LORELL GRAHAM, born June 18, 1934 at Lavaca, Ark.

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5. RESSIE BELLE PENCE, born Oct. 11, 1900 at Lavaca Arkansas. Married, Oct. 13, 1918, BEN J. SUTHERLAND, son of Gideon Sutherland of Lavaca. They lived for a time at Park City, Utah, where Ben was a silver miner. About 1943 they returned to Arkansas, locating at Paris.

Their children, four;

a. BEN PENCE SUTHERLAND, born July 13, 1920, Ft. Smith, Ark. Married, Jan. 11, 1943, name of wife not reported. He is an airplane mechanic, and lives in California.

Their children, none reported.

b. CECIL EZRA SUTHERLAND, born Oct. 5, 1922, Ft. Smith, Ark. He is an airplane mechanic and lives in California.

c. EMMA DALE SUTHERLAND, born July 21, 1924 at Syracuse, Ind. Entered the U.S. Army in 1942.

d. BETTY JUNE SUTHERLAND, born June 3, 1926, Ionia Co. Michigan.

6. EARL PENCE, born Oct. 13, 1902 at Lavaca, Arkansas, Old Home. Married LETHA CRAWFORD. They now, 1946, live at Buckeye, Ark.

Their children, two;

a. MARY MARGARET PENCE, born in 1929 at Yucon, Oklahoma.

b. EARLENE PENCE, born Dec. 14, 1934 at Yucon, Oklahoma.

7. WILLIAM HENRY PENCE, born Feb. 4, 1904 at Lavaca, Arkansas. Married, Mar. 26, 1926, NANCY CAROL CUNNINGHAM, daughter of James Cunningham of Oklahoma. They live at 255 Waverly Place, Waukesha, Wisconsin, where William is a machinist.

Their children, one;

a. DOROTHY JEAN PENCE, born Nov. 18, 1931 at Heaverner, Okla.

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III. FRANKLIN ERWIN PENCE, married second, in 1908, at Syracuse, Ind. SADIE MATHEWS, who is now deceased. Their children, none.

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IV. LULU MYRTLE PENCE, born April 27, 1877 at Ft. Wayne Ind. She died Feb. 19, 1940 aged 63 years near Columbia City Ind. and buried in Blue River cemetery, Whitley County. She had lost a leg by tuberculosis of the bone. Married, Nov. 13, 1900, WILBERT LEO CLELAND, a cousin, the son of David and Jane Pence Cleland, and was born in Whitley County. He resides on Route 4, Columbia City, and has been a water station plumber and repair man for the B & O since 1917.

Their children, two;

1. LENA OPAL CLELAND, born May 25, 1904 in Kosciusko Co. Ind. Married EARL SAFFEN, Sec. of the Y.M.C.A. at Ft. Wayne Ind.

Their children, none but adopted two;

a. RICHARD EARL SAFFEN, born at Eau Claire, Wis.
b. GARLAND SAFFEN, born in Eau Claire, Wis.

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2. ORVAL LEO CLELAND, born May 1, 1906 at Syracuse Indiana. Married EUNICE BROMSHAW of Eau Claire, Wis. She died May 28, 1939 at Columbia City, and buried in Blue River Cemetery.

Their children, three;

a. LEVON LEONE CLELAND, born Sep. 13, 1930 at Eau Claire Wis.
b. DONA JEAN CLELAND, born April 8, 1935 in Whitley County.
c. ROBERT ORVAL CLELAND, born Dec. 14, 1937 at Columbia City.

2. ORVAL LEO married second, MARY HEBER of Three Rivers, Michigan.

Their children, none.

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V. WILLIAM ABRAHAM PENCE, born Nov. 18, 1878 at Lavaca, Arkansas. Died Mar. 3, 1913 aged 35 years of pneumonia at the Presidio, San Francisco, Calif. His remains were taken to Whitley Co. Ind. and after funeral services at the Blue River Methodist Church, he was buried in the Cemetery there, beside his parents.

He joined the U.S. Regular Army in 1900, at the age of 22, and was a member of Co. D. 8th Regt. U.S. Infantry. He became a First Sgt. Saw service in the Phillipines, getting double time credit for this. He was wounded in the foot in a skirmish with Phillipinos. He was a large man of fine soldierly appearance, and for that reason chosen

as a pall bearer for the funeral of Gen. Frederick Dent Grant, son of President Grant. The widow of General Grant presented each soldier pall bearer with a stick pin made of a five dollar gold piece and a chip diamond. After the death of William, the stick pin became the property of his sister, Lulu Cleland, and after her death it went to her daughter Opal, Mrs. Earl Saffen of Ft. Wayne, Ind.

William had planned to remain in the Army and did so until his untimely death. He had served 13 years with credit for 16.

He was unmarried.

Information Feb. 1943, by Mrs. Cora M. Wyland.

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JOSEPH HENRY NICODEMUS, 7th child of Elizabeth W. & Conrad Nicodemus, was born Sep. 25, 1849 in Noble Co. Indiana, and died June 30, 1896 aged 46 years. Buried in Sanford Cemetery near Merriam. Married, about Feb. 1870, MARY JANE KEPFORD NICODEMUS, his brother's widow.

Their children, six;

1. IDA LUELLA NICODEMUS, born Feb. 25, 1871 in Noble Co. Indiana. Died about 1921 aged 50 years. Married CHARLES McPHEETERS, born Oct. 20, 1861 and died Dec. 1, 1928 aged 67 years.

Their children, two;

1. EARL McPHEETERS, born in 1892 and died at age of 23 years.
2. RALPH McPHEETERS, born 1898. Lives at Kansas City Mo. Married MARGARET _____ of Kalamazoo, Mich.

Their children, none.

II. ORILLA OBERA NICODEMUS, born Feb. 25, 1873 at Albion, Indiana. Married JAMES HAWK of Albion, which ended in divorce.

Their children, one;

1. LEO HAWK, born in July 1893 at Albion. Married HELEN BLEVENS who died in 1930. Their children, none.

1. LEO HAWK, married second, TRACY BASSETT.

Their children, three;

a. WANDA HAWK, born in 1934.
b. GLENDA HAWK, born in 1936.
c. LINDA HAWK, born in 1939.

II. ORILLA OBERA, married second, PERRY COE, of albion, born Feb. 21, 1866 and died Dec. 23, 1946 aged 81 years. Buried at Albion.

Their children, four;

1. EVA COE, born Feb. 8, 1901, at Albion, Indiana. Married CARL RAVENSCROFT of Maryland. They live at Albion.

Their children, three;

a. JUNE RAVENSCROFT, born Aug. 1, 1923 at Albion, Ind.
b. ROBERT RAVENSCROFT, born April 9, 1926 at Albion, Ind.
c. BONNIE JEAN RAVENSCROFT, born June 1, 1933 at Albion, Ind.

2. ORVAL COE, born Feb. 16, 1903, at Albion Indiana. Married MABEL HELTZEL, born in Green Twp. Noble Co. Ind.

Their children, three;

a. DONALD COE, born Jan. 12, 1932 at Albion, Ind.
b. RUSSELL COE, born Feb. 23, 1936 at Albion, Ind.
c. DEWAYNE COE, born Nov. 3, 1936 at Albion, Ind.

3. HAROLD COE, born June 16, 1905 at Albion, Indiana. Married Ethel Wells, born at Albion, Ind.

Their children, one;

a. BEVERLY ANN COE, born Feb. 4, 1939 at Albion, Ind.

4. BONNIE COE, born Dec. 16, 1914 at Albion, Indiana. Married PAUL MARSHALL, born at Wawaka, Indiana.
Their children, two;
a. VIVIAN MARSHALL, born March 15, 1934 at Albion, Indiana.
b. GLENN ALLEN MARSHALL, born Feb. 1, 1938 at Albion, Indiana.

III. ARBA WILLARD NICODEMUS, born Dec. 27, 1874 in Noble Co. Ind. Died Aug. 30, 1924 aged 50 years. Married ROSE McMEANS, born May 20, 1880. Died July 20, 1945 aged 65 years. Their children, none.

IV. EDWARD MILLARD NICODEMUS, born Feb. 5, 1877 in Noble Co. Ind. He now, 1946, lives at Albion. Had been a Railroad man. Married MARY ROTGHER born July 7, 1885 and died June 2, 1945 aged 60 years at Albion. Buried Rose Hill cemetery.
Their children, four;
1. IVAN NICODEMUS, born Oct. 11, 1902 at Albion Ind. Died Nov. 7, 1942 aged 40 years at Elkhart, Ind. Married JOSEPHINE MOLK, born Sep. 11, 1904 at Mishawaka.
Their children, one;
a. IVAN NICODEMUS Jr. born May 16, 1925 at Albion, Indiana.
2. EARL NICODEMUS, born Oct. 8, 1907 at Albion, Ind. Married NELLIE GOBLAY, born Dec. 27, 1903, Whitley Co.
Their children, two;
a. JUNE NICODEMUS, born Feb. 12, 1929 at Elkhart, Ind.
b. GENE NICODEMUS, born Jan. 29, 1931 at Elkhart, Ind.

3. IRA NICODEMUS, born May 18, 1910 at Avilla, Ind. Married LETRA ZIGLER, born Aug. 6, 1908 at Albion, Ind.
Their children, four;
a. MARY LOU NICODEMUS, born May 25, 1933, Kalamazoo, Mich.
b. JAMES EDWARD NICODEMUS, born Mar. 25, 1935, " "
c. DONNA MARIE NICODEMUS, born May 30, 1937, " "
d. BARBARA JEAN NICODEMUS, born July 19, 1938, " "

4. JEANNETTE NICODEMUS, born July 2, 1913 at Albion, Ind. Married NOBLE FOSTER, born Jan. 28, 1898 at Orleans, Ind.
Their children, seven;
a. LeROY FOSTER, born Mar. 17, 1931 at Albion, Indiana.
b. LEONA RUTH FOSTER, born May 22, 1934 " "
c. ROBERT IRA FOSTER, born Aug. 17, 1936 " "
d. WILLIAM WALTER FOSTER, born Aug. 16, 1938, Albion, Ind.
e. PATSY JO FOSTER, born Dec. 28, 1943, " "
f. IRENE RAY FOSTER, born April 30, 1945, " "
g. NANCY KAY FOSTER, born April 30, 1945, " "

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Feb. 20, 1945 by Mrs. Noble Foster, of Albion, Indiana.

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V. MARY ELIZABETH NICODEMUS, born April 9, 1880 in Kansas. Married VERNON RAY of Albion, born there May 16, 1882, and now, 1946, lives at Albion, a retired Mail Clerk.
Their children, three;

1. GLENNIS RAY, born Aug. 8, 1907 at Albion, Ind. Died May 8, 1944 aged 37 years. Married OWEN MILLER, of Loginier, Ind. He is an auto mechanic. Their children, two;
   a. BETTY LOU MILLER, born Aug. 11, 1935 at Albion, Ind.
   b. DORIS ANN MILLER, born Aug. 8, 1937 at Albion, Ind.

2. RUSSELL RAY, born July 11, 1910 at Albion. They now, 1946 live at Albion, where he is a crane operator. Married LUCILLE CLOUSE, of Albion. Their children, two;
   a. INEZ LaVERNE RAY, born Nov. 21, 1934 at Albion, Ind.
   b. PATSY CLARE RAY, born June 9, 1936 at Albion, Ind.

3. JANE MAY, born Aug. 31, 1912 at Albion, Ind. Married GLENN WILLETS, of Ligonier, Ind. They now, 1946, live in Ft. Wayne. He is a draftsman for Gen. Elec. Co.
   Their children, two;
   a. SUSANNE RAY WILLETS, born Jan. 28, 1937 at Ft. Wayne.
   b. DAVID ALLEN WILLETS, born Aug. 29, 1940 at Ft. Wayne.

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VI. ALTA BESSIE NICODEMUS, born July 15, 1883 at Albion, Ind. Died Feb. 24, 1929 aged 46 years. Married CLYDE ROGERS, born Sep. 23, 1878.
Their children, three;

1. BURRELL ROGERS, born May 23, 1902. Married ELIZABETH ANN JOHNSON. Their children, three;
   a. MARY ROGERS, born Aug. 15, 1923. Married & has 2 children.
   b. JANE ROGERS, born Dec. 20, 1925. Married Jim Bob HYATT of Albion and has two children. Now living in Denver, Colo.
   c. HELEN JOAN ROGERS, born Jan. 19, 1929.

2. GERALD ROGERS, born June 6, 1905. Is a P.O. Clerk, Albion. Married GRACE GUTHRIE, born Mar. 20, 1905.
   Their children, two;
   a. JEANNE ROGERS, born Dec. 18, 1930.
   b. CLAIR N. ROGERS, born Feb. 1, 1935.

3. JOHN C. ROGERS, born Oct. 12, 1912. Is unmarried.

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CAROLINE NICODEMUS, 8th child of Elizabeth W. and Conrad Nicodemus, was born Sep. 11, 1852 in Noble Co. Indiana, and died Oct. 10, 1852 aged one month, of convulsions caused by a cat springing upon her in her cradle.

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SARAH JANE NICODEMUS, 9th child of Elizabeth W. and Conrad Nicodemus, was born Oct. 30, 1854 in Noble Co. Indiana, and died Jan. 20, 1913 aged 61 yrs. Buried in Christian Chapel Cemetery, Merriam, Ind. Married ISAAC SKEELS, born April 11, 1848 in Holmes Co. Ohio, and died May 22, 1938 aged 90 years,

at the Luckey Hospital in Wolf Lake Indiana. He is buried in Christian Chapel cemetery. He was a school teacher and a farmer.

Their children, seven;

I. FRANK A SKEELS, born Aug. 13, 1873 in Noble Co. Indiana and died May 30, 1941 aged 68 yrs. Buried in Christian Chapel cemetery. Married OCA ANN FORKER, born May 6, 1878, Noble Co. Ind. She now, 1948, lives in Albion.

Their children, five;

1. ETHEL SKEELS, born May 25, 1893 in Noble Co. Ind. and died Mar. 28, 1901 aged 7 yrs. 10 mos. and 5 days.

2. LESTA APRIL AKEELS, born April 15, 1895 in Noble Co. Ind. Married CHRISTIAN LOUIS FRANK, born Nov. 1, 1887 in Paulding Co. Ohio. Lesta was a Trained Nurse for many years, and Chris is a Locomotive Engineer for the Penna. R.R. Co. They live in Columbus, Ohio, 1559 Minnesota Ave.

Their children, none.

3. DEWEY SKEELS, born July 14, 1899, Noble Co. Ind. He died Dec. 6, 1922 aged 23 years. He was unmarried.

4. WOODWARD SKEELS, born June 10, 1899 (?) in Noble Co. Ind. He lives at home with his mother. He is unmarried.

5. SARAH JANE SKEELS, born Aug. 4, 1917 in Noble Co. Ind. Married GEORGE BURNWORTH, born Jan. 5, 1916, Noble Co. Ind. They now, 1948, live in Columbia City, Ind.

Their children, two;

a. JACKIE BURNWORTH, born & died Oct. 26, 1936, Ft. Wayne.
b. PEGGY ANN BURNWORTH, born Oct. 31, 1937 at Ft. Wayne, Ind.

II. LEONA SKEELS, born April 2, 1876 in Noble Co. Died July 16, 1948 aged 72 years at Albion, Ind. Buried Christian Chapel Cem. Married ELMER HOLCOMB, born Mar. 13, 1867 Noble Co. Ind. and died Aug. 23, 1942 aged 75 years. Buried Christian Chapel Cem. They lived for years at their farm home just south of Albion.

Their children, three;

1. THURLO C. HOLCOMB, born April 19, 1894 in Noble Co. Ind. Married CARRIE WIENKLER, born Sep. 14, 1897, Garrett Ind. Thurlo served in Co. C., 347th MGB in World War I. Both he and his wife are school teachers, and live on their farm. Their children, none.

2. FAY HOLCOMB, born June 15, 1898 in Noble Co. Ind. Married WAYNE SWITZER, born July 22, 1897, Himmell, Ind.

Their children, two;

a. ROBERT SWITZER, born July 26, 1918 at Garrett, Ind. He received an MD degree from University of Indiana in 1942 and is practicing physician in Indianapolis.
b. ROSELYN SWITZER, born May 29, 1922 at Garrett, Ind. Is employed by Lincoln Life Ins. Co. at Ft. Wayne.

3. JESSIE HOLCOMB, born Sep. 11, 1900 in Noble Co. Ind. Died Dec. 25, 1917 aged 17 years.

III. WILLIAM SKEELS, born Dec. 8. 1878 in Noble Co. Ind. Married in 1900, at Brooklyn Iowa, NELLIE MARTIN born there, May 30, 1881. They now, 1948, live at Wolf Lake Ind.

Their children, three;

1. OPAL LEONE SKEELS, born Mar. 13, 1902 in Noble Co. Ind. Died Sep. 16, 1903 aged one year and five months.

2. BERNICE SKEELS, born Jan. 22, 1906 at Albion, Ind. Married in April 1929, RALPH GRAY, born Apr. 15, 1899 Noble Co. Ind.

   Their children, six;

   a. KENNETH L. GRAY, born July 7, 1930 at Wolf Lake, Ind.
   b. PATSY MARIE GRAY, born May 10, 1931 in Noble Co. Ind.
   c. NORA JEAN GRAY, born Aug. 23, 1933 in Whitley Co. Ind.
   d. JOSEPH GRAY, born Mar. 18, 1935 in Noble Co. Ind.
   e. JERRY GRAY, born Nov. 2, 1938 in Noble Co. Ind.
   f. LARRY GRAY, born Nov. 2, 1938 in Noble Co. Ind. and died Feb. 17, 1939 aged 2½ months.

3. VIRGINIA SKEELS, born Feb. 20, 1916 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Married Dec. 29, 1943, GLENN GUENIN, born May 1904 at Monroeville, Ind. They live at Wolf Lake. Their children, one;
   a. DIANE SUE GUENIN, born at Wolf Lake, Indiana.

IV. CHARLES SKEELS, born July 16, 1880 in Noble Co. Ind. Married, Feb. 13, 1904, NETTIE BOWERS, born Jan. 25, 1884 in Whitley Co. They live near Albion, Ind. Their children, four;

1. CORLAS SKEELS, born Feb. 5, 1919 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Married, Feb. 5, 1932, BARBARA GRAY, born April 10, 1901 at Wolf Lake, Ind. She is a school teacher.
   Their children, none.

2. MILDRED JANE SKEELS, born Aug. 14, 1916 at Wolf Lake Ind. Married, Dec. 31, 1936, RAYMOND BOYD, born April 14, 1907.

   Their children, two;

   a. LARRY LEE BOYD, born Dec. 23, 1941 at Wolf Lake Ind.
   b. PHILIP EUGENE BOYD, born Oct. 17, 1943 at Dearborn, Mich.

3. RUTH SKEELS, born Nov. 24, 1919 near Wolf Lake, Ind. Married Dec. 3, 1940, CALVIN W. KRISTER, born Nov. 23, 1917, a grand-son of James Winebrenner. Their children, one;
   a. BETTY SUE KRISTER, born May 28, 1946 at Wolf Lake Hospital.

4. KATHLEEN SKEELS, born Oct. 10, 1921 near Wolf Lake, Ind. Married, Mar. 4, 1943, MAX BORDENKREI, born May 10, 1915 at Wawaka, Ind. In World War II he was a Corp in the Army. Their children, none reported.

V. LAWRENCE SKEELS, born June 9, 1883 near Wolf Lake, Ind. He died Feb. 19, 1933 aged 49 yrs. Buried near Churubusco. Married BESSIE CLELAND born Mar. 23, 1889, Churubusco and died Dec. 9, 1918 aged 28 years.

   Their children, one;

1. GAYNELLE SKEELS, born April 16, 1916 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Married Dec. 24, 1934, CLOYD (BUD) STEVENS, born Feb. 23, 1899 in VanWert Co. Ohio. They live at Ft. Wayne, Ind. Their children, none.

V. LAWRENCE SKEELS married second, MATTIE LUNDY of Ligonier.
Their children, none.

VI. JOHN D. SKEELS, born June 27, 1886 in Noble Co. Ind. Died Nov. 30, 1933 aged 46 yrs. Buried Sparta Cemetery near Kimmell Ind. Married ELIZABETH CULLERS, born Oct. 19, 1888 at Wolf Lake, Ind. and died Apr. 8, 1910 aged 22 years. Buried Wolf Lake. Their children, none.

VI. JOHN D. SKEELS married second, ORPHA WEEKS, born in Noble Co. Their children, none.

VII. DENVER AUSTIN SKEELS, born Oct. 30, 1894 in Noble Co. Ind. He died Oct. 14, 1898 aged 4 years. He is buried in Christian Chapel cemetery, Merriam Noble County, Indiana.

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March 3, 1944, Much of the Skeels record was furnished by Leata Skeels Frank, of Columbus, Ohio, who also gave valued assistance with the Record of many other branches of the Winebrenner family.
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SKETCH OF
JOHN WINEBRENNER
of Blair Co. Pa. & Noble Co. Ind.

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JOHN WINEBRENNER, 2nd child of Christian and Abigail Chrisman Winebrenner, was born Mar. 4, 1812 near Martinsburg, in Morrison's Cove, Blair Co. Pa. and died Dec. 4, 1870 aged 58 years, at his farm home in Noble Co. Ind. and is buried in Sanford cemetery near Merriam. Married in Blair Co. SARAH HOOVER, born there Nov. 7, 1817 and died Jan 22, 1884 aged 66 years in Noble Co. Buried beside her husband. Two of her sisters, Anna and Elizabeth, married brothers of her husband. August 11, 1846, when John was about 34, he left Blair Co. by covered wagon for Indiana, with his wife and eight children. With him was several of his brothers and sisters and their families, as well as several families of Hoovers and some others. They likely traveled by the National Highway, then called "The Cumberland Road", completed in 1840 as far west as Vandalia Ill. Upon reaching Ind. they settled first in Wayne Co. then in May of the next year, 1847, John and some of the others moved north several counties and settled in Noble Co. where John farmed and there lived out his life. It was here that the other 6 of their 14 children were born. They lived for many years near Burr Oak school, 5miles, south of Albion, and it was here that he died.

Their children, fourteen;

1. CATHERINE, born in 1834 and died in 1862 aged 27 years. She apparently was unmarried.
2. MARY ANN, born in 1836 and died in 1846 aged 10 years.
3. MATILDA, born in 1837 and died in 1920 aged 83 years. Married GEORGE W. JOSLIN. Their children, ten.
4. NANCY ELLEN, born in 1839 and died in 1897 aged 58 years. Married JOHN BIDDLE WRIGHT. Their children, six.
5. CHRISTOPHER, born in 1840 and died in 1915 aged 74 years. Married AMANDA SHAFER. Their children, none.
   Married SADIE SUMBRUN SMITH. Their children, none.
6. HARRIET, born in 1841 and died in 1886 aged 45 years. Married JAMES MARVIN SHERWOOD. Their children, nine.

7. ALEXANDER, born in 1843 and died in 1912 aged 67 years.
   Married ABIGAIL SHAFER. Their children, three.
   Married LENA G. JACQUES. Their children, four.
8. JAMES, born in 1845 and died in 1919 aged 74 years.
   Married JANE COUTS. Their children, none.
9. ADELINE, born in 1848 and died in 1849 aged 9 months and 10 days.
10. JOHN, born in 1850 and died in 1901 aged 51 years. Married JENNIE _____. Their children, one.
    Married SYBILLE DEALL. Their children, four.
11. DANIEL, born in 1852 and died in 1932 aged 80 years.
    Married SUSAN V. SMITH. Their children, three.
    Married BLANCHE BARDENBROOK. Their children, three.
12. DAVID, born in 1852, twin to Daniel. Died in 1852 aged 4 days.
13. MARTIN, born in 1854 and died in 1920 aged 65 years.
    Married ELIZABETH NOTEMAN. Their children, six.
    Married MILLICENT COLLERS. Their children, none.
14. JOSEPHINE, born in 1857 and died in 1921 aged 63 years.
    Married JAMES MAGGERT. Their children, ten.

CATHERINE WINEBRENNER, first child of John and Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born Nov. 25, 1834 in Blair Co. Pa. Moved West to Indiana with her parents when 12 years old (1846) and died June 27, 1862 in Noble Co. Ind. aged 27 years. Apparently was never married. Is said to be buried in Sanford cemetery near Merriam, though no headstone can be found.

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MARY ANN WINEBRENNER, second child of John and Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born April 6, 1836 in Blair Co. Pa. Moved to Indiana with her parents when 10 years old and died Aug. 19, 1846 aged 10 years 4 months and 11 days. Buried in Sanford Cemetery where she has a headstone. NOTE-Something is wrong with the record here, for John and family would have been on the road from Pa. to Indiana on the date shown as her date of death.

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MATILDA WINEBRENNER, third child of John and Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born Sep. 20, 1837 in Bedford Co. Pa. not far from Hollidaysburg the county seat of Blair Co. She died July 30, 1920 aged 83 years at Leavenworth Kansas. Is buried in Mt. Muncie cemetery there. Married Feb. 14, 1861 in Noble Co. Ind., GEORGE W. JOSLIN, who was born Aug. 24, 1837 at Mentor, Lake Co. Ohio, and who died June 16, 1921 aged 83 years. He served in the Civil War, and was with General Sherman in the march from Atlanta to the sea. In June 1871 he took his family to Nebraska, settling in Olge County, then in April of 1874 moved to Lincoln Co. Kansas where he homesteaded a quarter-section of land. He is buried in Mt. Muncie Cemetery.

Their children, ten;

I. ALICE JOSLIN, born Dec. 27, 1861 in Noble Co. Ind. two miles south of ALBION on the old Jakeway place. With her family she went to Nebraska in 1871, then to Kansas in 1874. Then with her family to Leavenworth Kan. in 1898. She now lives there at 500 Penn Ave. She is not married.

II. FLORA EDITH JOSLIN, born Mar. 22, 1863 in Noble Co. Ind. Married Jan. 8, 1882, CHARLES ROBBINS, who died Feb. 4, 1889 in Los Angeles, Calif. Flora Edith died Jan. 11, 1936 aged 73 years.

Their children, four;

1. NORA CLARE ROBBINS, born July 7, 1883 at Ellsworth Kansas. Married, DANIEL PATRICK CONNELLY and they live in Pasadena, Calif. She is a school teacher. Their children, none.
2. NELLIE PEARL ROBBINS, born Sep. 21, 1884 at Ellsworth Kansas. Married in January 1908 ROBERT S. BEATTIE.
   Their children, two;
   a. MARY EDITH BEATTIE, born Sep. 18, 1916. Died at 6 weeks at Kan. City.
   b. ROBERT BEATTIE, born July 20, 1921. Married, in March 1940 to IMOGENE WILLIAMS. They live in Santa Monica Calif.
2. NELLIE married second, VIRGIL PERRIE and they live at Santa Monica.
3. MINNIE EDITH ROBBINS, born Mar. 17, 1886 at Ellsworth Kansas. Died at the age of 17 months.
4. GRANT WARD ROBBINS, born July 19, 1888 in Los Anglees Calif. Died March 8, 1889 aged about 8 months.

NOTE- In 1887 Flora Edith and family moved to Los Angeles, Calif.

II. FLORA EDITH married second, in June 1896, GEORGE ALSON PERKINS, who died Aug. 26, 1931 at Pasadena Calif.
   Their children, one;
1. GEORGE B. PERKINS, born Jun. 30, 1898 at Manhattan Kansas. Married GAIRELLE GINGLER, and they live at Santa Monica Calif.
   Their children, two;
   a. JANICE PERKINS, born Aug. 12, 1928 in West Los Angeles Calif.
   b. TERRILL PERKINS, born in June 1935 in West Los Angeles Calif.

III. GRANT JOSLIN, born July 14, 1866 in Noble Co. Ind. and now lives at Lincoln Nebraska. Married in Oct. 1887 IDA F. LOSS, who died Aug. 1929.
   Their children, five;
1. ALLA GERTRUDE JOSLIN, born Jan. 4, 1889. Married John Rogers, who was born in Lincoln Neb. where they now live.
   Their children, one;
   a. JOHN RODNEY ROGERS, born about 1925.
2. ELLEN M.E JOSLIN, born Jan. 11, 1891. Married in June 1912 MICHAEL J. HEALY, who died Oct. 27, 1937 in Chicago while on a business trip. He was a Federal employee in Washington, D.C. Mrs. Healy lives in Calif.
   Their children, eight.
   a. JOSLIN HEALY, born April 2, 1913 at Beverly, Lincoln County Neb. Married Mildred Gunn. Their children, two;
      (1) PATTY HEALY, born July 16, 1932.
      (2) MICHAEL J. HEALY 3rd born Feb. 18, 1934.
   b. EILEEN HEALY, born April 26, 1915 at Lincoln Neb. Married Sep. 11, 1937, ANTHONY J. SLAWSKI, a postman in Los Angeles.
      Their children, two;
      (1) MICHAEL A. SLAWSKI, born Mar. 15, 1939 at Inglewood Calif.
      (2) DONALD R. SLAWSKI, born July 24, 1940 at Inglewood Calif.

c. [illegible] MAY NEALY, born June 27, 1917 at Lincoln Nebraska. Employed at airplane factory in Inglewood.
d. [illegible] NEALY, born Dec. 31, 1919 at Lincoln Neb. She also is employed at the airplane factory in Inglewood.
e. ROBERT L. NEALY, born March 1922 at Lincoln Neb. He is now in the U.S. Army.
f. BARBARA NEALY, born about April 1925 at Lincoln Neb.
g. THERESA NEALY, born about April 1927 at Topeka, Kansas.
h. EUGENE NEALY, born about Jan. 1930 at Topeka, Kansas.

3. [illegible] RODNEY JOSLIN, born Mar. 22, 1893. Married MARIE [illegible].

Their children, one;

a. JOAN JOSLIN, born about 1926. Lives at Batavia, N.Y.

4. ALICE JOSLIN, born Mar. 17, 1895. Was school teacher. Married LEE [illegible]ARGER, and they live in Denver, Colo.

Their children, three;

a. BETTY [illegible] MARSHBARGER, died at age of 1 year. Buried in Lincoln.
b. [illegible] MARSHBARGER, born May 18, 1923.
c. WILLIAM GRANT MARSHBARGER, born Sep. 22, 1929 Lincoln Co. Kansas.

5. JOHN F. JOSLIN, born Sep. 30, 1899. Married FLORENCE [illegible]. They live in Lincoln Neb. Their children, one;
a. MARILYN JOSLIN, born about 1936 in Lincoln Co. Kansas.

IV. [illegible] JOSLIN, born Oct. 4, 1867 in Noble Co. Ind. Now in Denver Colo. Married, Nov. 18, 1896, [illegible] OLSON, who died Jan. 18, 1918, in Sharon Springs Kan. Buried at Luray Kansas.

Their children, eleven;

1. VICTOR C. JOSLIN, born April 6, 1898 at Lincoln Neb. and died Mar. 13, 1942 aged 44 years at Kemmerer Wyoming, of a heart attack. He is buried at Hugo Colo. Married Aug. 1926 [illegible] McNAIR, and she lives at Kemmer, Wyo.

Their children, two;

a. [illegible] VICTOR JOSLIN, born Nov. 1927 at Hugo Colo.
b. JIMMY JAY JOSLIN, born July 1931 at Kemmerer, Wyoming.

2. [illegible] GENEVIEVE JOSLIN, born Nov. 19, 1899 at Lincoln Neb. Married June 1919, WILLIAM [illegible]MATHY, in Sharon Springs Kansas.

Their children, four;

a. [illegible] MARIE [illegible]MATHY, born Aug. 9, 1921 at Denver, Colo.
b. [illegible]MATHY, born Mar. 3, 1927 at McCook Nebraska.
c. [illegible]MATHY, born July 3, 1929 at McCook Nebraska.
d. [illegible]MATHY, born April 2, 1931 at McCook Nebraska.

3. [illegible] JOSLIN, born April 24, 1902 in Gove County Kansas. Married [illegible]. Now live in Colorado.

Their children, two;

a. [illegible] ERNESTINE JOSLIN, born Oct. 18, 1935 at Cheyenne Wells Colo.
b. LOIS MARTHA JOSLIN, born Mar. 19, 1932 at Cheyenne Wells Colo.

4. JESSIE PEARL JOSLIN, born July 14, 1904 in Gove County Kansas. Married April 1920, in Nebraska, JOSEPH REYNOLDS.
Their children, one;
a. SHERMAN EUGENE REYNOLDS, born Mar. 5, 1923, at Leavenworth Kan. Entered the U.S. Service in 1941 being later sent to India, and connected to Headquarters Staff.

5. [illegible] MAE JOSLIN, born Oct. 23, 1906 in Gove County Kansas. Married ROBERT [illegible]SON in Salina Kansas.
Their children, one;
a. [illegible] ADAIR [illegible]SON, born Feb. 21, 1926 at Ellis Kansas.
5. [illegible] married second, LOREN [illegible], and lives in Salina Kansas.

6. [illegible]LLIAM TAFT SHERMAN JOSLIN, born Sep. 9, 1908, Gove Co. Kansas. Married IDELLA BROOKS. They live at Cheyenne Wells Colo.
Their children, one;
a. WILLIAM T.S. JOSLIN Jr. Born about June 1933, Cheyenne Wells Colo.

7. CLINE EUGENE JOSLIN, born Feb. 15, 1911 Benton County Arkansas. Died at the age of one year at Cheyenne Wells Colo.

8. CORA MARIE JOSLIN, born Jan. 2, 1913 at Cheyenne Wells Colo. Married Russell Taylor. They now live at Goodland Kansas.
Their children, two;
a. JOAN MARIE TAYLOR, born Oct. 27, 1934.
b. LYNDA LEAN TAYLOR, born Jan. 5, 1941.
9. ELMER JAY JOSLIN, born June 2, 1914, Sharon Springs, Kansas. He is a newspaper man and not married.
10. NEIL FLOYD JOSLIN, born Feb. 2, 1916 at Sharon Springs, Kansas. Died at the age of 10 days. Buried at Sharon Springs, Kansas.
11. HAROLD ROLAND JOSLIN, born Dec. 15, 1917 at Sharon Springs, Kansas. Died soon after birth.

V. INEZ IRENE JOSLIN, born Sep. 28, 1869 in Noble County Indiana. Died at the age of 2½ years, in Johnson County Nebraska.
VI. SCHUYLER COLFAX JOSLIN, born Oct. 5, 1871 in Sloe County Neb. He now lives in Los Angeles Calif. Married Nov. 14, 1900, JOSEPHINE MEYERS.
Their children, six;
1. BLANCHE MARIE JOSLIN, born Nov. 15, 1901. Died at the age of 17 mos.
2. LEO JOSLIN, born June 20, 1904 and died next day.

3. CATHERINE JOSLIN, born Jan. 28, 1906 at Leavenworth Kansas. Married VAL SIMINSKI, a post man of Inglewood, California.

Their children, two;

a. ANTOINETTE SIMINSKI, born Mar. 12, 1935.
b. MARY CATHERINE SIMINSKI, born Dec. 28, 1940.

4. MARGARET ROSE JOSLIN, born Oct. 8, 1909 at Leavenworth, Kansas. Married R.B. ENGLISH, a watchman at a Studio in Los Angeles.

Their children, two;

a. ROBERT WAYNE ENGLISH, born Sep. 25, 1938 at Los Angeles, Calif.
b. JOAN MARIE ENGLISH, born Nov. 12, 1939 at Los Angeles, Calif.

5. JAMES V. JOSLIN, born Sep. 23, 1911 at Leavenworth Kan. He married MARY E. WARD, and they lived in L.A. He was a Postman, but he joined the U.S. Navy in May 1944. He was sent to Camp Farragut Idaho for training in Navy mail service, and in June was given the rating of Mail Specialist 3rd Class and sent to Sanfrancisco, then later to the Pacific, and served on Okinawa. He is still in the service.

Their children, two;

a. JEAN ANN JOSLIN, born April 22, 1932 in Los Angeles, Calif.
b. MARILYN JOSLIN, born Nov. 30, 1935 in Los Angeles, Calif.

6. JOAN CAROLYN JOSLIN, born Aug. 23, 1922 in Leavenworth Kansas. Married ELMORE WILCOX and they live in L.A.

Their children, one;

a. RONALD ELMORE WILCOX, born Sep. 15, 1942 in Los Angeles, Calif.

VII. OLA JOSLIN, born Sep. 6, 1873 in Johnson County Kansas. Not married. She was a school teacher for years and lived for a time with a niece Mrs. Roy Schneider near Louisburg Kansas. Ola died Jan. 2, 1943 aged 69 years, in a Hospital at Kansas City Mo. and her remains were cremated. The ashes were interred beside her father and mother in Mt. Muncie cemetery, Leavenworth.

VIII. WALTER WAYNE JOSLIN, born Oct. 3, 1875 in Lincoln County Kansas. He now lives at Leavenworth Kan. with his sister Alice. Not married.

IX. WILMA A. JOSLIN, (called Dolly) born Sep. 25, 1877, Lincoln Co. Kansas. Died Oct. 3, 1890 aged 13 years.

X. LAURA MATILDA JOSLIN, born Mar. 3, 1882 in Lincoln County Kansas. Died Dec. 11, 1936 aged 54 years. Married Sep. 17, 1901 HERMAN A. RILEY who now lives in Leavenworth Kansas.

Their children, two;

1. DOROTHY JOSEPHINE RILEY, born June 22, 1902. Married MARK SAMPLE, which union ended in separation.

Their children, one;

a. DOROTHY JEAN SAMPLE, born Mar. 16, 1926 in Pasadena, Calif.

1. DOROTHY married second, ROY SCHNEIDER and they live on a farm near Louisburg, Kansas.

2. MARJORIE REESE, born Sep. 22, 1912 at Leavenworth Kansas. Not married. Teaches Stenotype at Kansas City, Mo.

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WINEBRENNER - WRIGHT

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BALCY ELLEN WINEBRENNER, 4th child of John and Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born in 1839 in Blair Co. (then Bedford) Pa. and died May 16, 1897 aged 58 years in Noble Co. Ind. Buried in Christian Chapel Cem. Kerrian. In 1846 she went to Indiana with her parents. Married JOHN RIDDLE WRIGHT, born Nov. 28, 1833 in Virginia and died Oct. 10, 1923 aged 90 years in Noble Co. Ind. Buried beside his wife. He was a soldier in the Civil War, serving under Gen. Grant. He was a large man, weighing about 300 lbs. By occupation a farmer. In addition to their own six children, they took to raise, two of the four children left when John's brother and wife both died.

Their children, six;

1. SARAH JANE WRIGHT, born April 13, 1858 in Noble Co. Ind. and died Oct. 30, 1930 aged 72 years at Lamoni Iowa. Buried there. Married in 1878 GEORGE AMMON HUNTSMAN, of Noble Co. Ind. who was born Jan. 25, 1850 at Council Bluffs Iowa, the son of Jacob Huntsman and Catherine Wirick Huntsman. He died Mar. 17, 1939 aged 89 years, at Lamoni Iowa and buried there in Rose Hill Cem. He was a farmer, and before marriage joined the Church of the Latter Day Saints in Indiana. In 1878, soon after his marriage, he with others of the Huntsman family, left Indiana for "The West" to find cheaper land, traveling by wagon. They first stopped a short time at Lamoni, Decatur Co. Iowa, close to the Missouri line, at a L.D.S. settlement. They soon left and went 25 miles further west and settled at Redding, Ringgold Co. Iowa, where George bought 80 acres of land. While here he also ran a livery stable and grist mill, and engaged in bee culture. Some 17 years later he traded this property for land at Lamoni, and moved back there, where he stayed four years, then in 1897 moved to Missouri, settling at Richville, Douglas Co. in the Ozark country. All the George Huntsmen children were baptised into the L.D.S. Church. All but two became school teachers, and when Arlo taught his first term, all his brothers and sisters were his pupils.

Their children, eight;

1. ARLO RIDDLE HUNTSMAN, born June 1, 1879 at Redding Iowa. When 20 he moved with his parents to Richville Mo. He had attended Taylor's Normal School & Business College at Springfield & taught country school near Richville. Married, Feb. 20, 1910, in L.D.S. Church at Kansas City Mo. to JENNIE CLYO KNOWLAND of Kansas City Mo. who was born July 10, 1889 at Osgood, Grundy Co. Mo. She died July 27, 1939 aged 50 years at Kansas City Mo. Arlo still lives in Kansas City.

Their children, eight;

a. CLEO MARGUERITE HUNTSMAN, born Jan. 7, 1911 Richville Mo. Died Jan. 17, 1946 aged 35 years at the State Hospital at St. Joseph, Mo. after an illness of four weeks. Buried in Green Lawn Cemetery at Kansas City Mo. Married Feb. 4, 1928, HUGH THOMAS McKENZIE, born June 10, 1910 at Kansas City, Mo. This marriage ended in divorce.

Their children, one;

(1) HUGH THOMAS McKENZIE Jr. born Sep. 20, 1928 at Kansas City. Died same day. Buried in Elmwood Cem. Kansas City, Mo.

a. CLEO married second, Jan. 7, 1937, PHILIP JAMES WALTERS, of Kansas City, Mo. born May 7, 1910 at Lincoln, Nebr. He is a Manufacturer of Flour Mill machinery and lives in Kansas City.

Their children, four;

(1) JAMES ROY WALTERS, born Oct. 19, 1936 at St. Joseph, Mo.

(2) PHILIP JOSEPH WALTERS, born Jan. 11, 1938, Kansas City. Likes color photography. Raises chickens & rabbits.

(3) CECELIA MARIE WALTERS, born Dec. 20, 1940, Kansas City.

(4) THOMAS RICHARD WALTERS, born May 21, 1945, Kansas City.

b. JOHN HERMAN HUNTSMAN, born Jan. 22, 1919 at Richville, Mo. Married, Nov. 26, 1938, BETTY LOUISE MANUEL, born July 31, 1922 at Kansas City, Mo. where they now live, and John, once an orderly in a Hosp. is now a steel worker.

Their children, none reported.

c. GLENN AMMON HUNTSMAN, born July 22, 1918 at New Point, Mo. He was in the Navy 5 years. In World War II a gunner and radio man. His ship Preston was sunk in battle, and he swam through burning oil on the water, was saved though burned. Spent many months in hospitals, at last in one at Ft. Worth Texas. Two years later he was again Hospitalized at Veterans Hosp. Wadsworth Kansas, and after discharge there he went to Kansas City, Mo. Married, June 15, 1947 in Seattle, Wash. CAROLYN KNIGHT of Seattle, which ended in divorce early in 1949. While married they lived in Los Angeles, Gardena section, and he was employed with a builder in Inglewood. In 1948 he again became ill, and entered a Veterans Hosp. at Los Angeles. He left this hospital in Feb. 1949 and returned to his folks at Kansas City, Mo.

Their children, none.

d. VIRGINIA PAULINE HUNTSMAN, born Aug. 12, 1920 at Lazen, Ark. Married EDWARD ALLISON PALMER, born July 13, 1911 at Lees Summit, Mo. They live at Belton, Mo.

Their children, five;

(1) BARBARA PALMER, born Feb. 6, 1939 at Kansas City Mo.

(2) GLEN DEE PALMER, born Oct. 16, 1940 at Kansas City, Mo.
(3) JO LaVERNE PALMER, born Aug. 20, 1944 at Kansas City, Mo.
(4) PATRICIA MAY PALMER, born Sep. 2, 1947 at Kansas City, Mo.
(5) KAREN JUNE PALMER, born Sep. 2, 1947 at Kansas City, Mo.
PATRICIA died Feb. 27, 1948 aged 6 months at Kansas City Mo. and buried there in Green Lawn Cemetery.

e. LAUREL CLARE HUNTSMAN, born Jan. 24, 1922 at Hazen, Ark. Married WALTER RAYMOND LEE, born Feb. 2, 1912, Neosho, Mo. Lived for some time in Belton, Mo. Now, 1949, in Kansas City.
Their children, four;
(1) RAYMOND EUGENE LEE, born Sep. 26, 1941 at Kansas City, Mo.
(2) DORA ROSE LEE, born Mar. 4, 1945 at K.C., Mo.
(3) LAUREL KATHLEEN LEE, born June 29, 1946 at Kansas City, Mo.
(4) NED ALLEN LEE, born Aug. 23, 1947 at Belton, Mo.

f. ARLO RIDDLE HUNTSMAN Jr. born May 1, 1924. Died aged 8 months.

g. JUNE LUCILL HUNTSMAN, born Dec. 14, 1929 at Kansas City. She attended school at Belton, Mo. Married, June 5, 1948, at Kansas City, Mo. BILLY REED SMITH, born Sep. 29, 1928 at Oklahoma City. He is by trade a brick mason's helper and learning the trade. They live at Tulsa, Okla. Their children, none.

h. LOTUS MAE HUNTSMAN, born Sep. 14, 1932 at Kansas City, Mo. Married COY JEARL COMBS. Their children, two; (no names given)

2. NANCY CORA ALICE HUNTSMAN, born April 10, 1882, Redding, Iowa. Married, Jan. 1, 1902, JACOB ISAIAH HICKS, born May 20, 1878 in Howell County, Mo. the son of a Baptist Minister. He died of Tetanus Aug. 16, 1939 aged 57 years at Lamoni Iowa. Buried there. They lived for a time near Buckhart Mo. Then in 1905 moved to Lamoni Iowa, living on a farm. Mrs. Hicks now lives in Lamoni.
Their children, three;
a. IOLA GENEVA HICKS, born Feb. 1, 1903 near Buckhart, Missouri. Graduated from Lamoni Ia. High School and Graceland College there, also from Iowa State College at Ames, with a B.S. degree in Home Economics. She was Home-Making Instructor in Oskaloosa Iowa High School then instructor in same course at Graceland College, Lamoni. Married, Aug. 20, 1924, BYRON HENRY KARSTEN, born Jan. 20, 1902 at New London, Iowa. He died Dec. 11, 1936 aged 35 yrs. as the

result of an accident when the truck he was driving collided with car near Chicago. Buried at Lamoni.
Their children, two;
(1) JOYCE CLAIR KARSTNER, born Oct. 10, 1926 near Lamoni, Iowa. Graduated from Ames Iowa H.S. then had one year at Penn College Oskaloosa Ia. then attended the American Academy of Arts at Chicago. She is unmarried.
(2) WARD HUNTSMAN KARSTNER, born Jan. 31, 1930, Lamoni, Ia. Attending High School at Lamoni.

b. ELLIS ARLEN HICKS, born Feb. 12, 1915, near Lamoni, Iowa. Graduated from High School there, also Graceland College. At Iowa State College, Ames, he majored in zoology, receiving degrees of BS and MS. He then was an assistant Prof. of Entomology at Iowa State College. Early in 1941 he entered the U.S. Army and was advanced to the rating of 2nd Lieut. while at Camp Lee, Va. Then went to Ft. Lewis Wash. and there made a 1st Lieut. In April 1943 he went overseas, and then was commissioned a Captain. He was in North Africa, then to Italy, then home Nov. 28, 1945. He was promoted to the rank of Major before discharge March 13, 1946. Married, July 16, 1946 at Nebraska City, Neb. JOSEPHINE WILSON, born May 29, 1919 at Nebraska City, the daughter of Mrs. Lulu R. Wilson of Nebraska City. She was a graduate of the High School of Nebraska City, and received her BS degree at Iowa State College, in Dieterries. Served as Dieticinn at Emanuel Hospital, Portland, Oregon and at the University of Kansas, at Kansas City, Kan. and more recently Instructor in Dietetics at St. Mary's College, Leavenworth.

c. [illegible] HELEN HICKS, born June 6, 1924, Harrison Co. Mo. Graduated from H.S. and Graceland College at Lamoni Iowa. Attended Drake Univ. at Des Moines, graduating in June 1946 from Dept. of Music, and is teaching in Graceland College. Married, May 15, 1943 at Springfield, Mos. GILBERT PERCY HOWARD of Lamoni Iowa, born May 1, 1924, FREEWATER, OREGON. He graduated from Lamoni H.S., attended Graceland College one semester, then enlisted in the Army Air Corps. Was overseas 9 months, was a technical Sgt. when discharged. He is now, 1946, working on his BA degree at Graceland and plans to coach in athletics. Their children, one;
(1) NANCY CLAIRE HOWARD, born Feb. 2, 1949 at Des Moines.

3. MARY LAUREL SERILDA ANN HUNTSMAN, born Dec. 7, 1883, Redding Iowa. In 1897 with her parents, she moved to south central Mo. in the Ozark country. Lived near Richville. In 1907 she graduated from H.S. at Ava, the county seat, and taught school in northern Missouri.

In the summer of 1900 she attended State Normal at Springfield and received her diploma. The fall of 1908 she taught near Great Falls Montana. Altogether she taught school seven terms. July 30, 1946 Laurel received from Pres. Truman a Citation for services rendered as a volunteer worker in the office of Price Administrator. Married Dec. 2d, 1903, at Boulder, Montana, MONROE WATTERS, born Dec. 30, 1879 at Lexington, Mo. and who later moved to Alva Mo. with his parents. He attended Normal School at Ava, and taught school in Missouri, Oklahoma and Montana. Soon after their marriage they settled on a farm in central Montana near Denton, living there until the fall of 1933, when they moved to Missoula, that their children might better have the privilege of attending the University of Montana. They have lived at Missoula since then, and own an apartment house.

Their children, five;

a. [illegible] CLAIR WATTERS, born Aug. 14, 1910, Richville, Mo. Raised on the farm near Denton Montana. Graduated from H.S. at Denton in 1932. Had poor health. Met his death Oct. 2d, 1934 aged 24 yrs. in an accident while deer hunting near Drummond Mont. with his brother Billy. Buried at Miss.

b. RONALD AMLON WATTERS, born April 3, 1915 near Denton, Mont. Graduated in 1932 from Denton H.S. and the fall of 1933 moved to Missoula with his parents, then entered the University of Montana there, graduating in 1938 with BS degree in Forestry. Worked for U.S. Forestry Service at Bearlodge National Forest, at Whiteball Mont. In 1940 left this work and went into business with George J. Stone (his father-in-law) at Lincoln Mont. a general store, garage and freight line. March 13, 1942 enlisted in the US Air Corps. Trained at Vancouver, Santa Ana Calif., Houston Texas and San Marco. Sent to Moses Lake and Walla Walla Wash. then to Kansas and New Jersey. Nov. 2, 1942 left the U.S. by boat, landing in Scotland. Assigned to a crew, and his first raid was Dec. 11, 1942 on Emden Germany. Second one Dec. 30th on Ludwigshaven. Third & last one was Jan. 4, 1944 at Keil Germany. Had Plane trouble and bailed out, landing in the Baltic sea nearshore, off Danish coast. Farmers rescued him in a boat. He was not injured. German soldiers took him to German Military at Odense and there he met five more of his crew of ten. The other four were never found. He was taken at Dulag Luft near Frankfort and was assigned to prison camp Stalog Luft I North Germany, arriving Jan. 16, 1944. Was there until Apr. 29, 1945 when the German guards left because of the Russian drive nearby, and the prisoners took charge. Two days later the Russians arrived and by May 14th the last prisoner had been flown to France or England for repatriation. Left Southhampton England July 10, 1945 and landed at Norfolk Va. July 26, 1945. Aug. 1st was home for

75 days leave. On Oct. 17th reported to Santa Ana Calif. Air Base to go through the process of separation. In Dec. was promoted to 1st Lieut. Jan. 5, 1946 was placed on inactive status as a Reserve Officer. In March 1946 accepted employment in U.S. Forest Service as Asst. Ranger on Custer Nat. Forest at Ashland, Mont. Married July 1938, THELMA J. STONE of Lincoln, Mont. Daughter of George J. Stone, which ended in divorce late in 1946, on his return from service. Their children, one;

(1) LANA D. WATTERS, born Jan. 10, 1941 at Lincoln, Mont. Died Jan. 28, 1941 aged 15 days of Yellow Jaundice.

b. RONALD married second PHYLLIS M. ALTHOFF, widow of Lieut. Herman J. Althoff, and daughter of Byron L. and Mary B. Snodgrass of Ashland Mont. Their children, none reported.

c. BILLY MARION WATTERS, born July 22, 1916 at Denton, Mont. Received primary schooling and 3 yrs of high school at Denton, then with his parents, moved to Missoula where he graduated from H.S. in 1934. Entered Univ. of Mont. and graduated in 1938 with BS degree in Forestry. Employed at once by the U.S. Forest Service, leaving in 1941 to become Field man for the White Pine and Sash Co. where he is now employed. Married in 1939, GLORIA VIRGINIA HENDRICKSON of Florence. Their children, two;

(1) LAWRENCE JAMES WATTERS, born April 17, 1940
(2) LONORE KAY WATTERS, born June 22, 1946.

d. DUANE HUNTSMAN WATTERS, born Mar. 16, 1918 at Denton, Mont. Received part of schooling at Denton, then Missoula, and graduated from H.S. there in 1936. Then entered Kinman Business College, Spokane Wash. Worked as book-keeper several places then entered employment of Randall & Elder, Certified Public Accountants of Spokane. In 1945 after a successful examination, he received a Certificate as a C.P.A. Kinman College conferred on him an Honorary degree of Bachelor of Commercial Science. He also has a Certificate of permission to practice before the U.S. Treasury Dept. He hopes to go into business for himself as a C.P.A. Lives at Spokane. Married in 1940, BETTE JEAN ERICKSEN, of St. John, Wash. She is of Danish descent. Their children, two;

(1) JERRY JEROME WATTERS, born May 4, 1942 at Spokane, Wash.
(2) JEAN WATTERS, born Aug. 31, 1944 at Spokane, Wash.

e. JEROME FREDERICK WATTERS, born June 30, 1920 at Denton, Mont. Had primary schooling at Denton, then graduated from Missoula H.S. in 1939. Had a desire to join the Navy, but decided to follow his brother Duane, and entered Kinman Business College at Spokane to study certified public accounting.

After one year, he entered the service of the Boeing Airplane Co. at Seattle, Wash. He was now 21 and the Pearl Harbor incident had just occurred. He enlisted Dec. 17, 1943 in the Navy, received boot training in Calif. and was soon on his way to Pearl Harbor. From there he went to Midway Island and was in that battle. Returned to Pearl Harbor and took training as meteorologist then sent to Palmyria Island in the Pacific, serving there as weather observer for many months. Then sent back to the U.S. and was a weather forecaster at St. Louis, Mo. until the end of the war. Came home and started to complete his education, entering the University of Montana.

4. JOHN THURLO HUNTSMAN, born Feb. 8, 1889 at Redding, Iowa. He was a country school teacher, now a farmer, thrasher and stock raiser. He now, 1948, lives at Stuttgart, Arkansas. Married, IDA YARNELL of Ava Mo. born there in 1892, and died Oct. 22, 1911 aged 19 yrs. at the birth of her first child. She is buried at Ava Missouri.

Their children, one;

a. VIRGIL BOYER HUNTSMAN, born Oct. 22, 1911. Died at birth.

4. JOHN THURLO married second, CORA RICHARDSON of Springfield Mo. born June 7, 1892 at Fordland Mo. and died Dec. 4, 1940 aged 48 years at Stuttgart, Ark. and buried there. NOTE- Since the death of Cora, Thurlo's sister Mrs. Rosa Palmer and family have lived with him.

Their children, five;

a. HAROLD VERN HUNTSMAN, born Aug. 13, 1914 at Sedan Missouri. He is a rice farmer and lives near Waldenburg, Ark. Married MAUDIE STONE.

Their children, two;

(1) WAYNE HUNTSMAN, born at Stuttgart, Ark.
(2) RALPH HUNTSMAN, born May 29, 1943 at San Diego, Calif.

b. MARION EUGENE HUNTSMAN, born May 31, 1918 at Richville, Mo. He has a machine shop and lives at Stuttgart, Ark. Married DOROTHY NEWTON born Jan. 29, 1921 Lonoke, Ark.

Their children, three;

(1) MARILY HUNTSMAN, born Jan. 2, 1939 at Stuggart, Ark.
(2) JOHN HUNTSMAN, born Feb. 17, 1940 at Stuggart, Ark.
(3) CYNTHIA HUNTSMAN, born Oct. 20, 1946 at Stuggart, Ark.

NOTE- the address, 600 McKashle St., West Monroe, La. was written in pencil in record of this family with line running from MARION down to MARILYN. Possibility the entire family lives in La. or just the daughter Marilyn. (1961)

c. JAMES KIRAM HUNTSMAN, born Feb. 13, 1921 at Hazen, Ark. Served in World War II in Pacific Area, Okinawa and Korea. Had T/4 rating. Returned home July 31, 1946. Married MILDRED KENNEDY, born Mar. 19, 1921, Almyra, Ark.
Their children, two;
(1) TED HUNTSMAN, born Aug. 29, 1943 at Almyra, Ark.
(2) ROGER HUNTSMAN, born about 1950.

d. PAUL GARETH HUNTSMAN, born June 23, 1923, Fairmont, Ark. Married REBA NELL BOUTON, of Bristol Virginia.
Their children, one;
(1) KAREN LEIGH HUNTSMAN, born Feb. 28, 1949, Little Rock.

e. RUTH JEANETTE HUNTSMAN, born June 19, 1937, Stuttgart, Ark.

5. HAZEL PEARL HUNTSMAN, born Oct. 4, 1890 near Redding Iowa. Died July 18, 1891 aged 9¾ months. Buried Brushy Fork Cemetery.

6. ROSE GUSTAVA MAE HUNTSMAN, born Dec. 27, 1893 near Redding Ia. Married EDGAR JOSHUA PALMER of Richville, Mo. born June 22, 1884 in Washington Co. Indiana. They now, 1946, live at Stuttgart Ark with John Thurlo. Palmer is mgr of a chicken hatchery.
Their children, three;

a. DWIGHT HUNTSMAN PALMER, born May 8, 1916 at Lamoni Ia. Served in World War II in 8th Air Force and commissioned a 1st Lieut. in England. After the war he located in Wichita, Kansas. Married VELMA LARENA FISHBACH, born Oct. 30, 1916. They now, 1946, live in Wichita.
Their children, none.

b. DORIS GERALDINE PALMER, born Jan. 17, 1919 at Sedan Mo. Married J.W. SMITH of Wichita, Kan. born Nov. 21, 1916 at Montalba, Anderson Co. Texas. They now, 1946, live near Fredonia, Wilson Co. Kan.
Their children, two;
(1) WILLIAM EDGAR SMITH, born July 21, 1938 at Wichita, Kansas.
(2) JANICE DEANE SMITH, born Dec. 26, 1948 at Neodasha Kansas.

c. CHLOE DEANE PALMER, born Nov. 21, 1927 at Wichita, Kan. Graduated from Stuttgart, Ark. H.S. in June 1946 and that fall entered Graceland College, Lamoni Ia. for study of Home Economics. Graduated there in 1948 and that fall took a teaching position. However, early in 1949 she began working for an insurance company in K.C. She is unmarried.

7. ELMER ANSON HUNTSMAN, born Jan. 16, 1896 at Redding, Ia. In World War I he served in U.S. 17 months, and a year overseas, most of it in France. In recent years he has been a farmer, and now, 1948, lives in Webster Co.

Missouri. Married ROSA McCARTHY, born in Douglas Co. Mo. They were divorced in 1948 and she now lives in Springfield, Mo.

Their children, five;

a. FERN HUNTSMAN, born July 5, 1921 at Hazen Ark. Married, Dec. 3, 1937, ROLLY KELLER, born at Leon, Ioa. This ended in divorce.

Their children, one;

(1) LARRY LEE KELLER, born Feb. 13, 1939 at Des Moines, Ia.

a. FERN married second, DON MASTERS, born Feb. 13, 1915, Des Moines where they now live. He is a salesman.

Their children, one;

(1) CHARLES M. MASTERS, born Nov. 27, 1945 at Des Moines.

b. IOLA HUNTSMAN, born April 21, 1922 at Richville, Missouri. Married VERL McCAUGHY, born May 13, 1918 at Leon, Ioa.

Their children, one;

(1) REBECCA CASSANDRA McCAUGHY, born Apr. 25, 1943 Des Moines.

c. ELSIE HUNTSMAN, born June 14, 1926 at Richville, Missouri. She now, 1946, lives at Houston, Texas.

d. HAZEL HUNTSMAN, born Sep. 27, 1930 at Langdon, Missouri. She now, 1946, lives at Springfield, Mo.

8. VIRETA CUMORAH HUNTSMAN, born Feb. 4, 1901, at Richville, Mo. Died Feb. 12, 1901 aged 8 days at Richville. Buried there.

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II. GEORGE WASHINGTON WRIGHT, born Sep. 16, 1860 Noble Co. Ind. Died Oct. 31, 1916 aged 56 years. Buried Christian Chapel Cemetery. Married VIDELIA BEERS, of Green Center, Noble Co. born May 20, 1858 and died in 1931 aged 73 years at Albion. Buried beside husband.

Their children, five;

1. NANCY CLAIR WRIGHT, born Oct. 1883 at Green Center, Noble Co. Married GEORGE HOFFMAN. Their children, four;
   a. VIOLET HOFFMAN. Married DePEW. Children, no report.
   b. BASIL HOFFMAN, born at Green Center.
   c. ELMER HOFFMAN. Died when young.
   d. Another child. No report.

2. JAMES BLAINE WRIGHT, born May 10, 1886 Green Center, Noble Co. Married, June 3, 1922, MILLICENT WINEBRENNER, widow of Martin Winebrenner, great uncle of James Blaine. She was born Millicent Cullers, Dec. 6, 1874 at Wolf Lake, Ind. They have lived at Bemidji, Minnesota for many years. Their children, none.

3. MARY SULLIVAN WRIGHT, born July 8, 1890 at Green Center, Ind. Married VITIAL GREGORY. Their children, none.

4. EFFIE WRIGHT, born Dec. 24, 1892 at Green Center, Ind. Married PAUL THOMAS. Their children, none, but adopted one.
   a. MARY LOU THOMAS, born about 1927.

5. BEULAH MAE WRIGHT, born Sep. 21, 1897 at Green Center, Ins. Married Nov. 27, 1915, OTTO WALBURN, born June 25, 1892.
   Their children, three;
   a. LENORE EVON WALBURN, born June 23, 1917 at Green Center, Ind.
   b. LIONA R. WALBURN, born Jan. 12, 1919 at Green Center, Ind.
   c. EDWARD C. WALBURN, born Mar. 14, 1922 at Green Center, Ind.

5. BEULAH MAE married second, ALVIN MANHORTER, born Jan. 1, 1867 at Albion, Ind. where they now live. First husband died. Their children, none.

III. JULIANN LERETA WRIGHT, born May 30, 1864 Noble Co. Ind. Died July 1868 aged 24 years in Noble Co. Married ED H. WALBURN. Their children, one;
1. A Daughter who died at birth.

IV. JOHN CHRISTIAN WRIGHT, born Nov. 5, 1866 near Albion Ind. Died Feb. 22, 1945 aged 77 years at Denver Colo. Buried there. He was a farmer in Ind. but had also worked in a clothing store at Ft. Wayne for some yrs. About 1900 he moved with his family to Denver where he also worked in a clothing store. Married in Feb. 1886 in Indiana, DELLA MAE McPHETERS, born Mar. 17, 1868 near Albion, daughter of Joch C. & Frances Week McPheters. She now, 1946 lives at Denver, 1165 Penn Ave. Rest Home.
Their children, three;

1. LeROY MORRIS WRIGHT, born June 19, 1887 near Albion Ind. He now, 1947 lives in Calif. 2151 Holly ridge Drive, Hollywood. When a young man he worked in Albion light plant as Supt. Went to Denver about 1909 and worked there as an electrician. He attended college two years, studying electrical engineering, and now, 1946, is part owner of a machine shop, The Frazier-Wright Co. with a plant in Hollywood, and another at Bakersfield of which his brother is manager. LeRoy married, June 19, 1909, at Victor, Colo. EMMA F. LEVENSKE of Cripple Creek, Colo. Their children, none.

2. LEO McKINLEY WRIGHT, born Mar. 29, 1894 near Albion, Ind. Went to Denver in 1909 and there had two years of college, then a special course of one year in an Electrical School. Went to San Francisco and there had an electrical shop of his own. He is now, 1947, Manager of the Bakersfield Calif. plant of the Frazier-Wright Machine Shop Co. Married, June 22, 1922, LILLIAN I. STUART, born June 16, 1900 at Cripple Creek, Colo.
Their children, one;
   a. MARY LEA WRIGHT, born May 20, 1934 at San Francisco, Calif.

3. LENA LAURNA WRIGHT, born Mar. 29, 1894 (Twin to Leo) at Albion, Ind. Attended High School at Ft. Wayne Ind. then two years at Denver University, Colo. Married, Mar. 9, 1912, EUGENE PICKETT, born Nov. 9, 1892 in Jefferson County Colo.

Their children, two;

a. DOROTHY MARION PICKETT, born Nov. 28, 1913 Jefferson Co. Married JAMES STRAUB. Their children, three;
(1) HELEN IRENE STRAUB, born Dec. 2, 1931
(2) PHYLLIS JEAN STRAUB, born July 5, 1934
(3) DAVID PICKETT STRAUB, born July 4, 1938

b. LENORE VIRGINIA PICKETT, born Feb. 11, 1918 Jefferson County.

3. LENA married second, LLOYD EUGENE RUTH, born Sep. 18, 1891, at Willard, Nebraska. He has been in the employ of the U.S. Government since about 1913 and is now, 1948, Purchasing Agent for the Public Roads Administration. They live in Englewood Colo. 2842 Beverly Dr.

Their children, none of record.

V. NANCY ELLEN WRIGHT, born March 27, 1872 in Noble County Indiana. Died Dec. 27, 1929 aged 66 years. at Albion Ind. She is buried in Christian Chapel Cemetery, Kerriam, Ind. Married HARRY CLOUSE, born Feb. 3, 1873 at Albion, Indiana and died Dec. 28, 1953.

Their children, five;

1. JOSEPH SPENCER CLOUSE, born Sep. 4, 1893 in Noble County Ind. Married GOLDIE HARLOE, born May 14, 1897. Ended in divorce.

Their children, five;

a. DAISY ELIZABETH CLOUSE, born Feb. 24, 1913. Married RICHARD KNOX, which ended in divorce.

Their children, one;

(1) CHARLES KNOX, born Dec. 31, 1929. Married DOROTHY FISHER, in 1950 which ended in divorce.

Their children, two (twins);

(a) PATRICK DAVID KNOX, born May 18, 1953
(b) PAMELA SUE KNOX, born May 18, 1953

(1) CHARLES married second in Oct. 1956, ANN BURNS. He is a Professional soldier serving in the Air Force. They now (1961) live in California.

Their children, three;

(a) CHARLES ANTHONY KNOX, born Aug. 18, 1957
(b) RUSSELL BRYON KNOX, born Oct. 4, 1958
(c) KATHERINE RENNE KNOX, born Dec. 29, 1960

a. DAISY married second, JACK HOLST, Feb. 22, 1952. No children. Lives at Rowe, Ind.

b. WILBERT CLOUSE, born Sep. 4, 1914. Raised by grandparents. He is a farmer and lives on the Harry Clouse. Married ELOISE KITSON, who died May 25, 1947.

Their children, three;

(1) SHARRON LOUISE CLOUSE, born July 5, 1938
(2) SHIRLEY MARIE CLOUSE, born June 31, 1942
(3) RICHARD LEE CLOUSE, born July 6, 1945

b. WILBERT married second about 1949, MARY CARSON, Wilbert dropped dead of a heart attack, Feb. 1954.
Their children, one;
(1) MICKAEL PAUL CLOUSE, born July 29, 1951.

c. RUTH CLOUSE, born April 2, 1919. Married ROBERT GREPKE, 1936. They live in Ft. Wayne where he is a factory worker.
Their children, two;
(1) MARVIS JEAN GREPKE, born June 28, 1938. Married June 30, 1956, KENNETH FERRIS, born April 18, ___.
Their children, two;
(a) TAMMY RENEE FERRIS, born Sep. 17, 1957
(b) JAMES KENNETH, born April 18, 1959.

d. ALICE MARGARET CLOUSE, born Nov. 11, 1922. Lived in Ft. Wayne since childhood and educated there in city schools. Married Feb. 1940 JAMES EDSALL, born at Albion July 1920. James entered the U.S. Army, Feb. 1939. During World War II, he saw service in Iceland, Germany and South Pacific. Has campaign ribbons and decorations from almost every theatre of war. Discharged from Army Oct. 16, 1945 as 1st Lieut. Was in the Army Reserves until he re-entered service Nov. 5, 1947. Went to Japan in 1950 and from there went to Korea (1951-1952) During the Korean Conflict, he saw action on the front lines. Was returned to Japan from Korea where his family joined him. This tour lasted until Feb. 1954. New assignment was Denver Colo. for three years. Came to Ft. Benning, Ga. Aug. 1957 serving with the 2nd Inf. Div. until his retirement, April 30, 1961 as a Major with 22 years service. He became a Mason in 1956, holds a 32nd degree as a Scottish Rite Mason. Initiated into the Shrine of Al Sihah Temple of Macon, Ga. July 1959. This year, 1961, he is Vice-President of the Columbus, Ft. Benning Shrine Club, Ambassador of the Al Sihah Temple, Secretary-Treas. Ft. Benning Chapter #8, National Sojourner; Adjutant Daniel Morgan Camp, Heroes of '76 Ft. Benning, Ga. They now, 1961, live at 3572 Irwin Way, Columbus, Georgia.
Their children, five;
(1) PENNY SUE EDSALL, born Aug. 1, 1941, Kendallville, Ind. Married, Mar. 28, 1958 at Tuskegee, Alabama, TIMOTHY HITCHCOCK, whose father is a professional soldier. Tim is in U.S. Army.
Their children, three;
(a) MICHAEL PATRICK HITCHCOCK, born Dec. 23, 1958, Savannah, Ga.
(b) MARGARET ANN HITCHCOCK, born Feb. 27, 1960, New Mexico
(c) MARY COLLEEN HITCHCOCK, born May 13, 1961, New Mexico.
(2) JUDITH ANN EDSALL, born July 28, 1942, Coldwater, Mich.
(3) JAMES LORNE EDSALL, born Aug. 23, 1944, Kendallville, Ind.

(4) EDWIN FRANKLIN EDSALL, born Apr. 28, 1953, Hokkaido, Japan.
(5) SHANNON RAE EDSALL, born July 12, 1956, Denver, Colo.

e. HARRY B. CLOUSE, born at Aville, Ind. Died at age of one week.

1. JOSEPH CLOUSE left Indiana for California and lived at Chico, Butte Co. He died in Orville Calif. Aug. 1959. He remarried, wife's name unknown.

Their children, four;

a. ROSE MARIE CLOUSE, born Oct. 9, 1945
b. GAIL CLOUSE, born Aug. 30, 1946.
c. JOAN CLOUSE, born Nov. 9, 1949
d. PEARL CLOUSE, born Jan. 3, 1___. Deceased. No date of death given.

2. JOHN B. CLOUSE, born Feb. 20, 1895 at Albion, Ind. He is a farmer and cattle dehorner. Lives near Albion. Married Feb. 20, 1915 at Albion, IVA MAE COATS, born April 18, 1896 at Albion. They were divorced May 25, 1947.

Their children, ten;

a. RUSSELL JAY CLOUSE, born Mar. 10, 1916 in Noble Co. Ind. Rejected for service in World War II, physical disability. Married MARTHA LUCILLE CONRAD, July 16, 1938 at Hillsdale, Mich. She was born May 20, 1924 at Albion. This marriage ended in divorce.

Their children, one;

(1) SHIRLEY ANN CLOUSE, born Aug. 26, 1939 at Collins, Ind. Died Sep. 9, 1939 aged 14 days.

a. RUSSELL married second, April 26, 1952, MARY OVERHOLSER, born Nov. 11, 1911. Their children, none.

b. HARRY ANSON CLOUSE, born Aug. 28, 1917 in Noble County Ind. Enlisted in the Army Oct. 15, 1941, 2 months before Pearl Harbor attack. Was a Corp at Ft. Fisher, N.C. and Instructor for combat training of large class of men. Went overseas in Dec. 1944 serving until end of war. Honorable discharged as Staff Sgt. Dec. 6, 1945, after 4 yrs. 2 months service. Belonged to 84th Div. known as "The Railsplitters", which entered Berlin. He was wounded and received the Purple Heart also a good conduct medal, sharp-shooter's medal and Marksmanship pin. Had the honor of being a guard to Pres. Truman and his aides when he visited Germany in 1946. Is a farmer. He married, Dec. 24, 1955, JO LEIGHTY, born Nov. 9, 1924.

Their children, one;

(1) GARY WAYNE CLOUSE, born April 9, 1959.

c. WILLIAM HENRY CLOUSE, born Mar. 8, 1919 Noble Co. Graduated from Wolf Lake H.S. Registered for service in World War II but worked in a Defense plan, the Gen. Elec. Co. Ft. Wayne, and was not called for duty. Married ELSIE ELLEN LOCHNER, Aug. 25, 1939 which ended in divorce in 1944. She remarried & lives in Ft. Wayne.

Their children, two;
(1) MARY LOU CLOUSE, born July 28, 1940 at Churubusco.
(2) WILLIAM EUGENE CLOUSE, born June 28, 1942, Kendallville.

c. WILLIAM HENRY married second, Feb. 20, 1945, DELORES BOSMAN of Auburn, born Feb. 2, 1923. Lives at Churubusco.
Their children, two;
(1) JACKIE WILLIAM CLOUSE, born Feb. 15, 1946 at Garrett.
(2) JILL MARIE CLOUSE, born Feb. 4, 1948 at Wolf Lake.

d. DONALD EUGENE CLOUSE, born Nov. 30, 1920 Albion. Educated in schools of Noble Co. and was a foundry worker at Kendallville, until he entered the Army July 24, 1942, and took training at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind. then to White Sulphur Springs, W. Va. in QM Dept. In 1944 transferred to Long Island N.Y. into Army Post Office. In Jan. 1946 sent to Ft. Lewis to receive returning boys. Discharged Feb. 12, 1946 because of crippled arm, after 3 yrs. and 7 months service. He was not in combat. He is now, 1947 living with his grandfather Harry B. Clouse on the farm. Married, June 14, 1943, NETTIE JEAN COULTER, of Hughart, Greenbrier Co. W. Va. She was born May 19, 1923.
Their children, three;
(1) CATHERN ELOISE CLOUSE, born Oct. 3, 1948, Kendallville.
(2) DONALD EUGENE CLOUSE Jr. born Sep. 21, 1952.
(3) ROBIN KAYE CLOUSE, born Feb. 9, 1957

e. EDITH MARIE CLOUSE, born July 11, 1922 Noble Co. Graduated from Churubusco H.S. in 1940. Married Jan. 18, 1941, LEO EDWARD ROMINE, born Sep. 18, 1918 at Spencerville, Ind. He has a News-Sentinel paper route, and operates a filling station at Churubusco. Was rejected for service in World War II by reason of a ruptured ear drum, but worked in a Defense plant, G.E. Co. at Ft. Wayne from 1941 to Jan. 1946. Was a member of the "Gallon Club", having given 8 pints of his blood.
Their children, three;
(1) LINDA MARIE ROMINE, born April 14, 1942. Married June 1960, A/3c JOHN MAX BARNETT, stationed Sheppard Air Base, Texas.
(2) BEVERLY JEAN ROMINE, born Oct. 25, 1945.
(3) BONITA ROMINE, born Feb. 2, 1952.

f. BERNARD ELWOOD CLOUSE, born April 8, 1924, Noble Co. Ind. Made his home with his grandparents Clouse from an early age. Enlisted in the Navy in Jan. 1941 at Great Lakes Naval Training Station, and was soon sent to Kodiak Alaska Submarine Base, where he remained 2½ years. Classed as Boatman.

Was in the battle of Atka Alaska and then sent back to Bangor Wash. for special training of Boatmen, after injury in an accident when he fell 28 feet onto a steel deck, which put him in the hospital for several months, but he later returned to active duty and was sent to Okinawa and Iwo Jima in South Pacific. Was honorable discharged Dec. 11, 1945 after 4 yrs of service. He is now, 1947, a student at Churubusco Ind. taking a course "On the Job Plan of Mechanics". Married, April 21, 1951, MARCIEL LEITCH, born April 16, 1925.

Their children, two;

(1) LENNY GENE CLOUSE, born Nov. 11, 1953.
(2) LESLIE BLAINE CLOUSE, born Nov. 15, 1958.

g. JAMES EDWARD CLOUSE, born April 6, 1925 in Noble Co. Ind. Worked for B & O RR until he enlisted in the Navy July 28, 1942. Had basic training at Great Lakes, then sent to New Orleans. Shipped to Europe on the Benjamin Goodhue as Gunners mate. Was on this ship when it sank off the coast of France, when he was wounded and burned but survived to be later sent to Iwo Jima and Okinawa in South Pacific. Received three bronze stars and citation for bravery, also a citation from Pres. Truman. Was discharged Dec. 22, 1943 after almost 4 years of service. Now lives in Green Twp Noble Co. Married in Dec. 1946, KATHLEEN LEITCH, born Dec. 19, 1930 at Albion, RFD#3.

Their children, three;

(1) DAISY MAE CLOUSE, born July 2, 1947, Albion, Ind.
(2) JOHN CLOUSE, JR. born Feb. 3, 1950
(3) JANET CLOUSE, born Nov. 5, 1953.

h. MARTHA JEAN CLOUSE, born April 19, 1926 in Noble Co. Ind. Worked in Defense plant, G.E. Co. during World War II. Married in Aug. 10, 1946, CARROLL LEITCH, a veteran of World War II. They now, 1960, live near Albion.

Their children, five;

(1) NANCY LEE LEITCH, born Jan. 20, 1947, Kendallville.
(2) NORMAN CARROLL LEITCH, born Jan. 20, 1949.
(3) RUSSELL KAY LEITCH, born April 13, 1953.
(4) TIM EUGENE LEITCH, born July 8, 1954.
(5) BRUCE STEVAN LEITCH, born Feb. 19, 1957.

i. BETTY LEE CLOUSE, born Jan. 28, 1928 Noble Co. Ind. Married, Sep. 10, 1947, DALE CLOUSE (no relation) born Sep 10, 1926. He served in the Army in World War II.

Their children, four;

(1) ROBERT DALE CLOUSE, born Sep. 20, 1948, Kendallville.
(2) BRENDA JOYCE CLOUSE, born Sep. 2, 1950
(3) KAROL CLOUSE, born Aug. 26, 1957, Kendallville.
(4) KEVIN CLOUSE, born Aug. 26, 1957, Kendallville. /(Twins

j. JOHN B. CLOUSE, Jr. born July 15, 1929 in Noble Co. Ind. Died Feb. 11, 1930 aged 7 months of pneumonia.

3. DAISY BELL CLOUSE, born July 8, 1906 Green Twp Noble Co. Ind. Died April 1914 aged 18 years at Garrett Ind. Buried in Christian Chapel Cemetery, Merriam.

4. WILLIAM HENRY CLOUSE, born April 18, 1898, Green Twp Noble Co. Died Oct. 1918 aged 20 years. Buried Christian Chapel Cemetery.

5. MARGARET MAY CLOUSE, born July 17, 1899 Green Twp Noble Co. After one year in H.S. went to Quaker Bible College, Cleveland, Ohio. Married, Oct. 30, 1923, EDWARD VINCENT HOFFMAN. Divorced 1932.

Their children, none.

5. MARGARET married second, May 11, 1938 DONALD PENNELL KNIGHT, who was born Aug. 28, 1909 at Buchanan, Mich. They lived for about twelve years near Churubusco, and in addition to having a peach orchard, did general farming, but in 1948 rented the farm, bought a house in Churubusco and now, 1949 live there where Donald is doing carpenter work. Margaret was considerable help in completing the Clouse record.

Their children, none but have adopted one;

a. NAN ELAINE KNIGHT, born July 26, 1946.

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W R I G H T - S T R O U S E

VI. MARY ALICE WRIGHT, born Dec. 17, 1875, Noble Co. Ind. Married JOHN ELSWORTH STROUSE, born Jan. 6, 1871, Noble Co. Ind. They live at their farm home north of Merriam, Noble Co. Ind.

Their children, six;

1. BESSIE WILLIAMS, born Jan. 6, 1891, Noble Co. Died April 21, 1940, aged 49 years. Buried in Christian Chapel Cem. Merriam. Married HENRY KUTCHER, born Aug. 29, 1861, Noble Co. Ind. He died Oct. 4, 1942 aged 81 years. Buried Christian Chapel Cem.

Their children, one;

a. HERBERT KUTCHER, died in infancy.

2. VERL STROUSE, born July 28, 1896, Noble Co. Ind. He lives on his farm south of Albion, Ind. RFD 2, Albion. Married LURA KESSLING, born Jan. 21, 1896, Noble Co. Ind.

Their children, two;

a. MARJORY MARIE STROUSE, born Mar. 29, 1916, Noble Co. Ind. Married FRED ZUMBRUN, born Sep. 26, 1915, Whitley Co. Ind. He is atruck driver and lives on farm south of Albion.

Their children, one;

(1) JACQUELINE ZUMBRUN, born Jan. 28, 1937, Noble Co. Ind.

b. OPAL OVALINE STROUSE, born July 1, 1919, Noble Co. Ind. Married ERVIN YATES, born Jan. 27, 1915, Whitley Co. Ind. He is a Crane operator on Road Construction.
Their children, two;
(1) JERRY YATES, born May 3, 1938 in Noble Co. Ind.
(2) JESSE YATES, born Oct. 1942 in Noble Co. Ind.

3. EVA JOANNE STROUSE, born Oct. 20, 1900 in Noble Co. Ind. Married MURRY SHIVELY, born July 18, 1898 in Whitley Co. Ind. They live at their farm home south of Merriam.
Their children, nine;
a. THELMA LAVON SHIVELY, born Dec. 29, 1921. Died in infancy.

b. EDITH LUCILLE SHIVELY, born July 10, 1923, Whitley Co. Married EARL F. HEWES Jr. born July 18, 1923 Whitley Co. He is a painter and they live in Chicago, Ill.
Their children, two;
(1) STEVEN ALAN HEWES, born June 11, 1945, ~~Chicago~~ Ft. Wayne.
(2) TAMRA JEANNE HEWES, born April 18, 1947, ~~Chicago~~ Ft. Wayne.
(3) GAYLE ERLENE HEWES, born August 26, 1949, Ft. Wayne

c. HILDA JUNE SHIVELY, born June 30, 1925, Whitley Co. Ind. Married GLENN O. TARGGART, born Feb. 10, 1923, Noble Co. He is a farmer and they live a mile south of Wolf Lake
Their children, two;
(1) DANNY LEE TARGGART, born Sep. 26, 1945, Noble Co. Ind.
(2) DOUGLAS LEN TARGGART, born Sep. 19, 1948, Noble Co. Ind.

d. DALLAS LEON SHIVELY, born June 17, 1927, Whitley Co. Ind. He is unmarried.

e. JOYCE IRENE SHIVELY, born July 29, 1929, Whitley Co. Unmarried.

f. LOIS MARIE SHIVELY, born May 31, 1931, Noble Co. Ind.

g. GLEN M. SHIVELY, born Mar. 27, 1936, Noble Co. Ind.

h. MARCIA LEE SHIVELY, born Oct. 31, 1938, Noble Co. Ind.

i. LARRY EUGENE SHIVELY, born Feb. 7, 1940, Noble Co. Ind.

4. GUY STROUSE, born Sep. 23, 1903 in Noble Co. Ind. Married VENNITA RAMICK, born Nov. 10, 1905, Noble Co. They live on their farm home south of Albion, Indiana.
Their children, two;
a. DOROTHY MAE STROUSE, born July 10, 1924, Noble Co. Ind. Married FRED FAIRWEATHER, born Mar. as, 1921 in Florida. He was in the Army Air Force in World War II. Lived in Ala. Now, 1949, lives at Memphis, Tenn. An airplane Corp worker.
Their children, one;
(1) NORMAN FRED FAIRWEATHER, born Sep. 15, 1946, Noble Co.

b. BETTY JEAN STROUSE, born June 4, 1926, Noble Co. Ind. Married JACK WALTERS of Columbia City, born July 10, 1923 in Whitley Co. Is a Garage man. Lives in Columbia City.

Their children, one;

(1) SUE WALTERS, born June 8, 1948 in Noble Co. Ind.

5. FORD STROUSE, born Oct. 14, 1907 in Noble Co. Ind. Married MARIE CRAWCOCK, born May 9, 1912 in Whitley Co. They now, 1948, live on their farm home south of Albion, Ind.

Their children, one

a. JUDY ANN STROUSE, born Sep. 6, 1941 in Noble County, Ind.

6. EVELYN STROUSE, born April 30, 1911 in Noble County Ind. Married JESSE DIFFENDARFER, born May 19, 1909, Noble Co.

Their children, three;

a. NANNY LEE DIFFENDARFER, born Feb. 8, 1939, Churubusco, Ind.
b. JOHN ISAAC DIFFENDARFER, born May 27, 1941, Churubusco, Ind.
c. MARNA KAY DIFFENDARFER, born Sep. 12, 1948, Churubusco, Ind.

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CHRISTOPHER WINEBRENNER, 5th child of John and Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born Aug. 29, 1840 in Blair Co. Pa. and went to Indiana in 1846 with his parents. He died May 21, 1915 aged 74 years at Albion, Indiana and is buried at Wolf Lake. Christopher served in the Civil War in Co. B, 48th Indiana Vol. Infantry, from August 1862 to June 1865. He was with Sherman in his memorable march from Atlanta to the Sea. Married, in June 1862, AMANDA SHAFER, born Feb. 13, 1844 and died July 18, 1907 aged 63 years. She is buried beside her husband. Their children, none. However, they adopted a nephew of Amanda's who took the name of;

I. BERT WINEBRENNER, born Aug. 1869, as Bert Shafer, and who died Feb. 10, 1889 aged 20 years. Buried beside adopted parents.

CHRISTOPHER, married second, SADIE SUMBRUN SMITH, of which marriage there were no children.

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WINEBRENNER - SHERWOOD

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HARRIET WINEBRENNER, 6th child of John & Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born April 2, 1841 in Blair Co. Pa. and died Nov. 14, 1886 aged 45 years at Greenville Ohio and is buried there. Married JAMES MARVIN SHERWOOD, born Jan. 14, 1831 in New York State, and died May 3, 1913 aged 82 years, of paralysis in Hopewell Hospital, Minneapolis, Minn. where he had been for two years. He was buried at St. James Wantonwan Co. Minn. where brothers of his lived. Marvin and Harriet separated about 1877, he going to Mankato, Blue Earth Co. Minn. and taking 3 year old Daniel with him, and Harriet taking the baby Minn, went to Greenville,

Ohio, where she lived until her death in 1886.
Soon after the death of little Daniel in Minnesota in 1882, Marvin went to St. James Minn. and stayed with his brothers for several years. He returned east in the fall of 1897 and went to live with his son Nicholas at Defiance Ohio, staying a year then returning to St. James Minn. In 1900 Nicholas moved from Defiance to Minneapolis, and his father then went to live with him, staying about 11 years. He had a stroke and was taken to a Minneapolis hospital where he died two years later, May 3, 1913.

Their children, nine;

I. ANTIPOSS SHERWOOD, born Sep. 24, 1859 in Indiana. Died July 21, 1860 aged 10 months. (Census record calls him "ALIPURT").

II. JOHN SHERWOOD, born Nov. 12, 1860 in Ind. Died 9 days later.

III. REBECCA SHERWOOD, born Feb. 28, 1863. Died Oct. 26, 1865.

IV. ALICE DELILAH SHERWOOD, born Dec. 28, 1865 in Indiana. In 1882 when she was about 17, she was admitted to the Noble Co. Infirmary, as she was of unsound mind, and died there Oct. 7, 1906 aged 49 years, of heart trouble. Place of burial not reported by the Infirmary Supt. who reported her death upon the request of the writer.

V. NICHOLAS SHERWOOD, born Mar. 8, 1868 in Indiana. He died Feb. 20, 1915 aged 47 years at Turtle River, Minnesota. Buried there. When 11 years old he started working out on a farm. When about 17 he went to Minneapolis and learned the trade of butcher and meat cutter, then ran a confectionary, also worked in a flour mill at the same time, his wife looking after the stor. Nicholas married, Feb. 20, 1888, in Minneapolis, ANNIE PARKS, of Minneapolis, which ended in separation and divorce Oct. 2, 1894. Their children, none.
Very soon Nick left Minneapolis for Ohio, going to Paulding where his sister Mrs. Margaret Krick lived. He worked as a butcher for about two years. Married second, May 12, 1897, at Paulding Ohio, LUCY DOTTERER who was born there July 26, 1875 in Emeral Twp. She now lives at Bemidji, Minn. where she is a Registered Nurse. She and Nick lived at Defiance where he worked as a butcher, until 1900 when they moved to Minneapolis, where they ran a general store for 8 years, then Nick's health failing, they moved on May 10, 1907 to Turtle River, Minn. where they lived until his death there in 1915. Lucy then went back to Bemidji and took up nursing. Their children, none.

VI. SARAH V. SHERWOOD, born Nov. 17, 1869 in Indiana. In 1882 when she was about 13 years old, and at the same time as her sister Alice, she was admitted to the Noble County Infirmary, as she was of unsound mind, and died there Nov. 26, 1936 aged 67 years, of heart trouble. The Infirmary Supt. who reported this to the writer upon request, did not report place of burial.

VII. MARGARET VIOLA SHERWOOD, born Oct. 27, 1871 in Indiana. Died May 24, 1921 aged 50 years at Paulding Ohio. Married, Oct. 30, 1887, JOHN KRICK, born Sep. 6, 1865 at Paulding and died Aug. 30, 1932 aged 67 years at Paulding. He was a baker and lived all his life at Paulding. Both he and his wife are buried in Live Oak Cemetery at Paulding.

Their children, eight;

1. CLARENCE A. KRICK, born July 8, 1888 at Payne Ohio. Died Dec. 23, 1932 aged 44 years in a hospital at Ft. Wayne. Married, Mar. 7, 1918, MARIE DIDIER of Ft. Wayne, Ind. Their children, none.

2. MABEL KRICK, born Sep. 7, 1894 at Paulding Ohio. Married, Sep. 12, 1912, RAY KLINGLER, born Feb. 20, 1893 in Paulding Co. Ohio, where he still lives and operates a Grocery, Meat Market & Locker Plant.

Their children, five;

a. CARROLL W. KLINGLER, born Aug. 16, 1913 at Toledo Ohio. Married, June 30, 1935, NADINE WEBB, of Kerdon Ohio. They now, 1946, live at Coldwater, Ohio.

Their children, four;

(1) BETTY LOU KLINGLER, born June 13, 1936 at Carey, O.
(2) BEVERLY JEAN KLINGLER, born Aug. 23, 1938, Eaton, O.
(3) BARBARA ANN KLINGLER, born Aug. 28, 1939, Paulding, O.
(4) DENNIS CARROLL KLINGLER, born Sep. 23, 1940, Coldwater, O.

b. RUSSELL WILLIS KLINGLER, born Sep. 11, 1914, Paulding Ohio. Died Oct. 26, 1915 aged 1 year. Buried Paulding Ohio.

c. RAE DEAN KLINGLER, born May 5, 1919 at Paulding Ohio. Married, Jan. 27, 1937, LOUIS WILHEIM. Live at Paulding.

Their children, three;

(1) GERALD ALLEN WILHEIM, born Nov. 7, 1938, Paulding.
(2) JAMES RAYMOND WILHEIM, born Aug. 6, 1940, "
(3) MARCIA JEAN WILHEIM, born Oct. _____ "

d. ELOISE JEANNE KLINGLER, born Sep. 19, 1920 at Paulding Ohio. Married, Oct. 13, 1939, CARL W. FUNK of Grover Hill, O. They live at McComb Ohio, where Carl is owner and publisher of the Hancock County Herald.

Their children, two;

(1) CHANNING W. FUNK, born June 27, 1942 at Findlay, Ohio.
(2) JOANNA KAY FUNK, born July 9, 1946 at McComb, Ohio.

e. HOWARD WAYNE KLINGLER, born Dec. 4, 1926 at Paulding Ohio. He was attending Ohio State University, studying Physical Education, when called for service in World War II.

3. BERNICE V. KRICK, born May 16, 1896 at Paulding Ohio. In Aug. 1942 in World War II she entered the employ of the U.S. Gov. First at Patterson Field Dayton for AAF, then transferred to Dayton Signal Corps. Continued after the war and now, 1946, is at Gov. 862nd Specialized Depot, Dayton, on property accounting stock control clerk, for radio parts. Married, Aug. 18, 1913, DALE LOWELL POORMAN, born Dec. 8, 1893 at Scott Ohio, 2nd son of Perry & Hester Elizabeth Bohyer Poorman. Graduated in 1914 from School of telegraphy and worked for Cin. Northern Ry. Co. as telegraph operator, 1914 to 1929 and in various positions. Later State Hwy. Dept. Office Mgr. and Gov. research at Wright & Patterson Field, Dayton and at present, 1946, following same work. Live at Germantown.

Their children, five;

a. ANNA MARGARET POORMAN, born Jan. 31, 1914 at Paulding Ohio. Married, Mar. 15, 1934, GERALD LAMAR-BARGALOW, born Aug. 2, 1909 at Germantown, O. Served in the Army in World War II from June 1, 1945 to April 6, 1946. They live at Dayton.

Their child, one;

(1) NILE KERMET BARGALOW, born Feb. 8, 1935, Franklin, Ohio.

b. DALE LOWELL POORMAN Jr. born Mar. 16, 1918 at Paulding. Served in the Army in WW II from July 1942 to 1946. Married, Nov. 4, 1944 MARTHA LOUISE FIGGINS, born April 24, 1921 at Yellow Springs Ohio. Now live at Osborne, Ohio.

Their children, one;

(1) KENNETH DALE POORMAN, born April 6, 1946 at Springfield.

c. JACK WARREN POORMAN, born Oct. 20, 1920 at Paulding Ohio. Served in the Army from Dec. 1941 to May 1943, World War II. Married, Nov. 25, 1943, VERNA ELEANOR PETIT born Jan. 12, 1925 at Dayton. He works for Frigidaire, Dayton and lives there.

Their children, none.

d. RAY DON POORMAN, born Mar. 16, 1922 at Paulding Ohio. He served in the Army in World War II from July 1942 to June 1946. Then entered Ohio State University at Columbus. Married, Nov. 6, 1943 ELEANOR JANE GREENE, born Sep. 16, 1924 at Miamisburg, O. They live at Columbus, Ohio. Their children, none of record.

e. ROBERT LEWIS POORMAN, born Dec. 9, 1926, Germantown, O. Served in the Navy in World War II from June 1944 to June 1946. Afterward entered Ohio State University, Columbus.

4. FLOYD ATLAS KRICK, born Oct. 15, 1898 at Paulding Ohio. Married SELVA A. PRIOR of Grove Hill Ohio, born Apr1. 20, 1900. They now, 1946, live in Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Their children, one;

a. ARLENE V. KRICK, born Aug. 6, 1918. Married EDWARD DUVALL, born April 4, 1912.
Their children, two;
(1) BARBARA JEAN DUVALL, born May 5, 1941
(2) CAROLYN SUE DUVALL, born Jan. 14, 1944.

5. MURL KRICK, born May 16, 1900 at Paulding, Ohio. Married, Aug. 7, 1934, MARJORIE GUNDERMAN, born Sep. 18, 1909 at Cecil Ohio.
Their children, two;
a. KAY ELLEN KRICK, born June 29, 1938 at Paulding, Ohio.
b. MURL KRICK Jr. born Aug. 28, 1939 at Paulding, Ohio.

6. ELDORA KRICK, born Sep. 24, 1902 at Paulding Ohio. Married June 14, 1924, HARRY WHIRRETT, born April 21, 1901 at Paulding, Ohio. He is a machinist for the Mario (Ohio) Steam Shovel Co. and they now, 1946, live at Marion, Ohio.
Their children, five;
a. CAROL HOPE WHIRRETT, born Aug. 2, 1921 at Paulding, Ohio. Graduated from Harding High School, Marion. A typist. Married, Aug. 5, 1945, KARL LIVENSPARGER, born Sept. 24, 1925 at Marion, Ohio. Was in the Army Signal Corps during World War II and now, 1946, a Radio Engineer, Marion. Their children, none.
b. RICHARD RAY WHIRRETT, born May 10, 1929 at Paulding, Ohio.
c. JOHN DAVID WHIRRETT, born Aug. 12, 1934 at Paulding, Ohio.
d. JUDITH ELAINE WHIRRETT, born Mar. 22, 1939 at Marion, Ohio.
e. CHERLY ANN WHIRRETT, born June 26, 1943 at Marion, Ohio.

7. JOHN KRICK Jr. born Aug. 15, 1906 at Paulding Ohio. Married GRACE BACHTER, of Kendallville, Ind. and they now, 1946, live at Auburn, Ind.
Their children, six;
We were unable to get a report on this family.

8. WILLIS PAUL KRICK, born Mar. 12, 1914 at Paulding Ohio. Married, May 14, 1935, MILDRED LESLIE of Latty, Ohio, born Sep. 8, 1914 at Paulding. They now, 1946, live at Paulding.
Their children, three;
a. ROBERT SAMM KRICK, born April 19, 1936 at Paulding, Ohio.
b. DENNIS RICHARD KRICK, born Dec. 18, 1940 at Paulding, Ohio.
c. THOMAS RAY KRICK, born Mar. 6, 1946 at Paulding, Ohio.

VIII. DANIEL SHERWOOD, born Jan. 12, 1874 in Indiana. Died Nov. 26, 1882 aged 8 years at Mankato, Blue Earth Co. Minnesota.

IX. MINA SHERWOOD, born Mar. 6, 1876 in Indiana. When his mother left for Greenville Ohio, about 1877, she had taken Mina along, and when she died in 1886, he was about ten years old, and without a home. He asked his brother Nicholas

then in Minneapolis if he might come to live with him, and Nick sent for him. Although Nick was not married at that time, he made a home for the boy and looked after him for a number of years. Sent him to school for several years, and when Mina was about sixteen years old, Nick obtained for him a job as sweeper in the Flour Mill where Nick worked. Mina married a woman named IDA, but no other record has been found of him. He and his wife lived in Minneapolis, and they often visited Nick and his wife, for Nick was then married, and did this as long as Nick and wife lived in Minneapolis. After Nick left there May 10, 1907 Mina and his wife were lost track of.

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ALEXANDER WINEBRENNER, 7th child of John & Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born Aug. 31, 1843 in Blair Co. Pa. and died Jan. 21, 1912 aged 67 years at Albion, Ind., and buried there. He came to Indiana with his parents when he was 3 years old. Served in the Civil War in Co. A, 30th Indiana Vol. Infantry. Married first, ABIGAIL SHAFER of Noble Co. born Sep. 8, 1842 and died Feb. 8, 1881 aged 39 years. Buried at Albion, Ind.

Their children, three;

I. WYNIRS PRICILLA WINEBRENNER, born Jan. 31, 1867 in Noble Co. Died Nov. 5, 1909 aged 42 years, at Sandusky Ohio. Buried there. Married, FRANK BROWN who was born at Sandusky, Ohio. Their children, none.

II. LOGAN WINEBRENNER, born Dec. 25, 1869, Burr Oak, Noble Co. Ind. Died Jan. 11, 1947 aged 77 years at Albion, Ind. Buried there. He was a Director of the Albion National Bank, and for many years just prior to his death, in the Real Estate business. Married in 1902, GERTRUDE B. KNOX, of Noble Co. born there Oct. 30, 1872. She lives in their home, 303 E. Main St. Albion, Indiana. Their children, none.

III. RELY OSBORN WINEBRENNER, born Nov. 24, 1871 in Noble Co. Ind. Died Jan. 16, 1948 aged 77 years at Albion and buried in Sparta cemetery, Kimmel, Ind. Married in 1903, ANNA CROWCOCK, of Noble Co. born Oct. 6, 1878 and died Feb. 13, 1936 aged 58 years at Albion, and is buried at Kimmel in Sparta cemetery. Rely was a farmer and ran a butcher shop for some 20 years, then in 1919 moved to Maryland, where, at Berlin he operated a truck farm. About 1929 he returned to Albion, and for many years, up until his death, he operated a Grocery business there.

Their children, one;

1. MERRITT WINEBRENNER, born July 4, 1923 at Berlin, Maryland. He continued to operate the store of his father, Rely. Married, July 4, 1945 MARY EVELYN HILLMAN, born Nov. 18, 1928 at Kendle Indiana. They live at 400 S. Orange St.

Their children, one;

a. DELORES JEAN WINEBRENNER, Born Sep. 18, 1948, Albion.

ALEXANDER married second, Mar. 16, 1890, LENA GRACE JACQUES of Noble Co., who was born Aug. 29, 1872 at Albion. Now lives there.

Their children, four;

I. EDISON WINEBRENNER, born May 19, 1891 at Albion. Lives at Garrett. Married ESTELLA HARTMAN, born at Albion, Ind.

Their children, two;

1. ROBERT WINEBRENNER, born July 25, 1924 at Garrett. Unmarried.
2. DONALD WINEBRENNER, born June 25, 1927 at Garrett. Unmarried.

II. HAZEL WINEBRENNER, born June 14, 1893 in Noble Co. Married RICHARD CAMPBELL, born Jan. 2, 1889. They live at Albion, Ind.

Their children, three;

1. CHARLES CAMPBELL, born Jan. 22, 1916 at Denver, Colo. He is now, 1949, still in the Army. Married MABEL HUTCHINS, born July 18, 1914 in Texas. Their children, five;
   a. CHARLES ALEXANDER CAMPBELL, born Jan. 20, 1938, Denver.
   b. RICHARD ETHAN CAMPBELL, born July 1, 1940, Albion, Ind.
   c. MARGARET ROSE CAMPBELL, born Aug. 26, 1942, Albion, Ind.
   d. MARTHA JEAN CAMPBELL, born Aug. 26, 1942, Albion, Ind.(Twins)
   e. BETTY LOU CAMPBELL, born Jan. 15, 1945, Monterey, Calif.

2. PAULINE CAMPBELL, born April 5, 1918 in Noble Co. Ind.

3. ROBERT CAMPBELL, born April 5, 1920 in Noble Co. Ind. Married, Jan. 17, 1948, GLADYES JOHNSTON.

   Their children, one;

   a. ROBERT MICHAEL CAMPBELL, born in Oct. 1948.

III. DEAN WINEBRENNER, born Nov. 27, 1895 in Noble Co. Ind. Married RUTH FULTON of Albion, born Oct. 6, 1903, Frankfort, Ohio.

Their children, four;

1. DOROTHY MAY WINEBRENNER, born July 8, 1922 at Albion, Ind. Married CHARLES CROCKER, born at Orange Texas.

   Their children, three;

   a. ELIZABETH ANN CROCKER, born Nov. 30, 1939.
   b. EVELYN RUTH CROCKER, born Nov. 22, 1942.
   c. WILLIAM JOSEPH CROCKER, born July 21, 1948.

2. ELNORA GRACE WINEBRENNER, born July 15, 1923. Married J.T. BILBO, born in Texas. Their children, one;
   a. WILLIAM LAWRENCE BILBO, born Sep. 7, 1940 at Orange Texas.

2. ELNORA GRACE married second, in 1944, THOMAS BUDD. Their children, none, but adopted one;
   a. DARLENE LOU BUDD, born Jan. 1, 1946.

3. WILLIAM DEAN WINEBRENNER, born Feb. 27, 1926, Comstock, Mich. Married LOU EMMA MILLET, born July 7, 1927, Norton, Va.

   Their children, two;

   a. GIVEN WINEBRENNER, born Jan. 24, 1947.
   b. TAUREN WAYNE WINEBRENNER, born Jan. 27, 1949.

4. PAUL WINEBRENNER, born May 20, 1929 at Comstock Mich. Married, Dec. 24, 1947, LUELLA V. LANG. Their children, none.

IV. PAULINE WINEBRENNER, born Sep. 10, 1901 at Albion, Ind. Married HARLEY CURTIS of Albion, born there in 1901. They lived for a time at Gary, Ind. but now, 1947, at Albion.

Their children, three;

1. JOHN CURTIS, born Mar. 14, 1925 at Albion, Ind. It is reported he is married and lives at Gary, Ind. Their children, none reported.

2. MILDRED CURTIS, born July 10, 1929, at Albion, Ind. It is reported she is married and lives at Gary. Their children, none reported.

3. PHILIP CURTIS, born Oct. 25, 1931 at Garrett, Ind.

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JAMES WINEBRENNER, 8th child of John and Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born June 4, 1845 in Blair Co. Pa. and died in 1919 aged 74 years at Bemidji, Minn. where he is buried in Greenwood Cemetery. Married, Nov. 22, 1866, at Wolf Lake, Ind., JANE COUTS, a school teacher, born Dec. 6, 1846 in Seneca Co. Ohio, the daughter of Benjamine Couts, and died in 1919 aged 73 years at Bemidji, Minnesota. She is buried there beside her husband. In 1846, with his parents James left Pa. for Indiana and grew to manhood in Noble County. His schooling was very limited. He served in the Civil War in the 12th Indiana Volunteer Infantry, enlisting Jan. 9, 1864 and served to the end of the war. He was with Gen. Sherman in his march from Atlanta to the sea, and in many battles with Sherman and Gen. Logan. His headstone states he was a private in Co. B, 48th Indiana Vol. Infantry. In 1867 when he was 22 years old, he was apprenticed to learn the blacksmith trade which he followed the rest of his life. In Oct. 1902 with his brother Martin and both their families, he moved from Noble Co. Ind. to Minnesota, settling at Bemidji, where he lived out his life.

Their children, none.

However, in 1887 they took to raise, the four year old son of Jane's brother Daniel W. whose wife, the boy's mother, had just died on Nov. 7, 1887. The boy;

I. TED WINEBRENNER, For his complete Record see that of his father DANIEL.

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ADELINE WINEBRENNER, 9th child of John and Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born May 16, 1848 in Noble Co. Ind., and died Mar. 5, 1849 aged 9 months and 19 days. Buried in Sanford Cemetery, near Merriam, Noble Co. where a headstone marks her grave.

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JOHN WINEBRENNER, 10th child of John and Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born Mar. 4, 1850 in Noble Co. Ind. and died Dec. 13, 1901 at Columbia City, Ind. aged 51 yrs. Buried in Sanford Cem. Married first, JENNIE _____, which ended in divorce.

Their children, one;

I. JENNIE WINEBRENNER. No other report.

JOHN WINEBRENNER married second, SYBILLE BEALL of Wolf Lake, Ind. who was born May 3, 1862 and died May 25, 1942 aged 80 years, in Columbia City, Ind. at the home of her son Arthur Ray. She had been blind for quite a few years. She is buried at Columbia City.

Their children, four;

I. FRANK ZAIN WINEBRENNER, born May 22, 1881 at Cromwell Ind. He learned the trade of horse shoeing and general blacksmithing, and followed that for 23 years. In 1916 he discontinued this work and entered a Theological Seminary at Cleveland Ohio, the Cleveland College of the Friends of Quaker Denomination, graduating after four years, in 1920, and moved to the city of Chicago where he stayed for a time, then was given work in the Rock River Conference, serving as a Minister in the Northwestern District of Illinois. After the death of his wife in 1937 he gave up active work as a Minister. July 10, 1944, he wrote the writer the last letter, telling of working in a machine tool plant at Rockford, Ill., where he had lived for some few years. Later we received a report or rumor he had died late in the summer of 1944, thus aged 63 years. Probably buried, Rockford, Ill. Married MINNIE LEVELLA WICKLIFE of Etna, Ind. who was born July 30, 1883 at Ft. Wayne, Ind. and who died Sep. 14, 1937 aged 54 years, at Freeport, Ill. after 4½ years of serious illness.

Their children, three;

1. EDGAR FRANK WINEBRENNER, born Aug. 2, 1906 at Etna, Ind. He attended Cornell College at Cornell Iowa for two years, and the University of Illinois for a short time, then in 1932 he finished his schooling, at Normal College, Normal, Ill. He now, lives at Elgin, Illinois where he is employed by the Elgin Watch Co. Married, Sep. 6, 1936, at Freeport, Ill., ELLA HUTMACHER, who was born Mar. 25, 1906 at Cedarville, Illinois.

   Their children, one;

   a. DEAN WINEBRENNER, born May 26, 1938 at Rochelle, Ill.

2. RACHEL ISABELL WINEBRENNER, born Sep. 26, 1909 at Wolf Lake. Graduated in 1930 from Normal Illinois Teachers College and taught school for six years at Oswego, Ill. Married, WILLIAM ANDERSON, born June 10, 1908 at Oswego, Ill. He is a farmer and they live near Aurora, Ill.

   Their children, two;

   a. BILLY CLARK ANDERSON, born May 2, 1937 at Oswego, Ill.
   b. JOHN RODNEY ANDERSON, born Mar. 1, 1941 at " " .

3. FRANK PHILBERT WINEBRENNER, born Feb. 18, 1911 at Wolf Lake. He attended Ill. College at Jacksonville, Ill., finishing there in 1933 and took a post graduate course at the Univ. of Ill., Champaign, Ill. He is a teacher at Forrester Ill. Married DORENE SCHRAMM of Freeport, Ill. born there June 20, 1907.

   Their children, one;

   a. RONNY WINEBRENNER, born Feb. 23, 1937 at Freeport, Ill.

II. ARTHUR RAY WINEBRENNER, born July 16, 1882 at Cromwell, Ind. Died Oct. 19, 1944 aged 62 years, at Pierceton, Ind. He was by trade a mechanic and blacksmith. Had a shop for years at Columbia City, but in 1943 moved to Pierceton, Kosciusko Co. Ind. Married in 1921, MARGARET ROOF, born June 30, 1895, LaFayette. Their children, four;

1. BOBNIE WINEBRENNER, (twin) born Mar. 2, 1926 at Yoder, Ind. Died Aug. 26, 1927 aged 1 year, 5 months & 23 days.

2. A daughter. (Twin) born Mar. 2, 1926 and died at birth.

3. DONABELL WINEBRENNER, born Nov. 29, 1927 at Columbia City.

4. DEMARS WINEBRENNER, born Nov. 12, 1928, Columbia City, Ind.

III. BLANCHE WINEBRENNER, born Oct. 2, 1885 at Etna, Ind. Now lives near Pierceton, Kosciusko Co. Ind. RFD #1. Married VERN FOSTER, born in York Twp. Noble Co. This marriage ended in divorce.

Their children, two;

1. THURL FOSTER, born April 17, 1906 in York Twp Noble Co. Ind. Lives at Peru Ind. and is a Fireman on Nickle Plate RR. Married MILDRED MARTZ. Their children, none.

2. MERL FOSTER, born June 23, 1908 at Etna Ind. He is now a farmer at Coldwater, Mich.

BLANCHE married second, in July 1924, JAMES R. ROUCH, at Middle Point, Van Wert Co. Ohio. He was an Engineer on the Penn.R.R. but now retired. Address, Pierceton, Ind. RFD #1

Their children, two;

1. MARY LORIS ROUCH, born July 24, 19__ at Ft. Wayne, Ind. Married JOSEPH SWAIN of Rochester Ind. born Pierceton.

Their children, none.

2. BETTY JEAN ROUCH, born Feb. 12, 1925 at Ft. Wayne, Ind.

IV. BESSIE PRUSILLA WINEBRENNER, born April 10, 1889 at Etna Ind. Married June 17, 1909, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ROMEY, born May 29, 1876 at Columbia City Ind. He is an Express Messenger, Retired. They live in Ft. Wayne, at 654 Fifth St.

Their children, three;

1. DARL E. ROMEY, born Sep. 24, 1909 at Columbia City Ind. Married, July 3, 1938, BETTY MILLARD, born Mar. 3, 1918. Darl is an Optician at Mishawaka. Lies at 206 Lincoln Way. Their children, none.

2. JOY ROMEY, born Oct. 9, 1915 at Columbia City, Ind. Married, July 7, 1935, RICHARD COOK, born Jan. 23, 1915 at Ft. Wayne. He is a Fireman on the Penn. R.R.

Their children, one;

a. RICHARD COOK, born April 4, 1936 at Ft. Wayne.

3. VIRGINIA ROMEY, born Oct. 20, 1922 at Ft. Wayne, Ind. Married, Mar. 6, 1941, LAWRENCE STRAIT, born Oct. 6, 1935 at Union City, Ind. Is a Diemaker at Gen. Elec. Co. Ft. Wayne.

Their children, one;

a. JULIE ANN STRAIT, born July 4, 1942 at Ft. Wayne, Ind.

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DANIEL WINEBRENNER, 11th child of John and Sarah Roover Winebrenner, was born Mar. 26, 1852 in Noble Co. Ind., twin to David, who lived but four days. (Listed as 12th child). Daniel died May 3, 1932 aged 80 years, on his farm 10 miles from Bemidji, Minn. and

is buried in Greenwood Cem. at Bemidji. He married, April 15, 1875, SUSAN V. SMITH of Wolf Lake, Ind. who was born Oct. 23, 1857 in Ohio and died Nov. 7, 1887 aged 30 years, at Albion, Ind. and is buried at Wolf Lake Indiana.

Their children, three;

I. WILMETTA WINEBRENNER, born June 6, 1878 at Wolf Lake, Ind. and died Aug. 11, 1878 aged 2 months. Buried at Wolf Lake.

II. ETHEL WINEBRENNER, born May 16, 1881 at Wolf Lake, Ind. and died Sep. 10, 1881 aged 3 months and 25 days.

III. TED WINEBRENNER, born Nov. 14, 1883 at Albion, Ind. and being a small child when his mother died in 1887 he was taken to raise by his uncle James Winebrenner who lived at Wolf Lake, Ind. When his uncle left in Oct. 1902 for Minnesota, Ted, who was then 19 went along, and they lived at Bemidji. In 1910 Ted left Bemidji for California, locating at Los Angeles where he worked for Mr. Mayo his father-in-law. The following year 1911, Ted who was then married, settled near San Fernando, where he acquired land and engaged in the raising of lemons which he has continued to this day. He married in 1910 at Los Angeles, Calif. DOROTHY MAYO of Minnesota, who was born at Onka, South Dakota, and about 1909 with her parents, had left Minn. for Calif. They now live at 16565 Mission Blvd. San Fernando.

Their children, two;

1. DOROTHY JANE WINEBRENNER, born July 12, 1915 at San Fernando. She became a professional stage dancer. Married in 1942, JAMES CLOWER, of Detroit. He was with the Chrysler Corp. for years, but later owned and operates the Auto Parts business in Detroit where they live.

Their children, none.

2. JAMES LESLIE WINEBRENNER, born Oct. 14, 1920 in Los Angeles hospital. After graduating from San Fernando H.S., he joined the Air Corps for service in World War II. He saw duty in the South Central Pacific area, and had four years of service. He is now, 1949, living at Crow's Landing near San Fernando, where he is engaged in farming. Married and has one child;
   a. MARIE WINEBRENNER, born Jan. 1, 1949 in Los Angeles Hospital.

DANIEL WINEBRENNER, married 2nd, on Nov. 19, 1890, BLANCHE LEOTTA BARTENBROOK of Albion, Ind. who was born Jan. 21, 1866 in Noble Co. Ind. and on Oct. 12, 1904 they left Ind. for Minn. settling on a farm near Bemidji, where Blanche still lives.

Their children, three;

I. PAUL BURR WINEBRENNER, born Oct. 24, 1892 at Albion, Ind. Married Oct. 16, 1926, MRS. LILLIAN RUDOLF SANBORN, who was born Dec. 25, 1899, Palmer Nebr. They live at Ossee.

Their children, none.

II. FREDA WINEBRENNER, born Dec. 2, 1893 at Albion, Ind. Married Aug. 26, 1914 JOHN LEKLOH of Bemidji, Minnesota.

Their children, three;

1. JOHN PAUL LEKLOH TRAIN, born Jan. 2, 1916 at Pupasky, in northern Hubbard Co. Minn. He took the name TRAIN from his step father. He enlisted in the U.S. Army

early in 1941, and spent more than 2 years in Italy, then went to the Pacific area. Married, Mar. 2, 1942, HELEN OLSON SHEED, who was born Mar. 2, 1921 in Minneapolis, Minn. Their children, none.

2. HAROLD H. LEMLOH TRAIN, born Feb. 4, 1919 in Beltrami Co. Minn. He took the name Train of His stepfather. He entered the U.S. service in March 1942 going first to Calif. for training. He was killed in action in Normandy France, July 11, 1944 aged 25 years. Married, Oct. 5, 1943 GENEVA SKIOFORD, born Aug. 9, 1924 at Osseo, near Minneapolis. Their children, none.

3. PHYLLIS RUTH LEMLOH TRAIN, born Nov. 23, 1920 at Pupasky. Married Mar. 4, 1943, HENRY KLAPP, born May 13, 1911. They live in Chicago, Ill. Their children, none.

II. FREDA married second, in July 1925, RAY E. TRAIN, born Jan. 8, 1895. They live at Cass Lake, Minn. Their children, none but Freda's three children of her first marriage have taken the name of TRAIN.

III. RUTH WINEBRENNER, born Feb. 13, 1895 at Albion, Ind. She died Feb. 14, 1920 aged 25 years. Buried Greenwood Cem., Bemidji. Married Oct. 21, 1916, DOUGLAS McFAYDEN, at Bemidji, Minn. Soon after his wife's death he left to live at Bend, Oregon.

Their children, one;

1. ROBERT McFAYDEN, born April 12, 1919 at Bemidji, Minn. He entered the U.S. service about July 1943 and spent some time in France. He had made a special study of music and can play many instruments. He hopes to sometime own and direct his own Band. He is unmarried.

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DAVID WINEBRENNER, 12th child of John and Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born Mar. 26, 1862 in Noble Co. Ind., a twin to Daniel shown as child no. 11 in this Record. DAVID died Mar. 30, 1862 aged 4 days, and is buried in Sanford Cemetery near Merriam, Noble Co. Ind. where his grave is marked by a headstone.

MARTIN WINEBRENNER, 13th child of John and Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born Oct. 12, 1864 in Noble Co. Ind., and died Jan. 12, 1920 aged 65 years at Bemidji, Minn. and buried there in Greenwood Cemetery. He was a blacksmith at Wolf Lake Ind. for many years and in 1898 went to Klondyke, Alaska, where he stayed a year. In April 1902 he moved from Indiana to Bemidji, Minn. He was known as "DOC" because of an old saying that a 7th son was sure to be a Doctor. He married Sep. 1, 1876 (County Record says Dec. 16, 1876) ELIZABETH NOTEMAN of Wolf Lake, Ind. who was born there May 6, 1853 and died there May 9, 1893 aged 40 years. Buried Wolf Lake Cemetery.

Their children, six;

I. CLAUDE LEON WINEBRENNER, born July 3, 1877, Noble Co. Ind. Died May 20, 1941 aged 64 years at Toledo Ohio and is buried in Ottawa Hills Cem. Toledo. He had lived for many years at Toledo and was a Locomotive Engineer for the N.Y.C.

Railroad. Married Aug. 7, 1901, BESSIE STULTZ, born Jan. 27, 1877 at Wolf Lake, Ind. and now lives in Toledo at 514 Danberry St.

Their children, two;

1. ABRAHAM WINEBRENNER, born Dec. 30, 1902 at Cromwell, Ind. He too has been a Locomotive Engineer for some years for the N.Y.C. and lives at Toledo 2370 South Ave. Married, Aug. 27, 1922, PAULINE M. CABLE, born Mar. 14, 1901 at Elkhart, Ind.

   Their children, three;

   a. ROBERT M. WINEBRENNER, born Dec. 5, 1926 at Elkhart, Ind. Died in infancy.
   b. RONALD JOE WINEBRENNER, born May 28, 1930 at Elkhart, Ind.
   c. BILLIE KAY WINEBRENNER, born Nov. 28, 1931 at Toledo, Ohio.

2. XOLA WINEBRENNER, born June 20, 1905 at Toledo, Ohio. Married June 15, 1929, JOHN E. RICH born Jan. 21, 1905.

   Their children, none.

II. CHARLES WINEBRENNER, born Dec. 10, 1879 in Noble Co. Ind. Died Dec. 20, 1879 aged 10 days. Buried in Wolf Lake Cemetery.

III. CLELLAND GUY WINEBRENNER, born July 4, 1881 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Now lives in Elkhart, Ind. at 1716 South Sixth St. He was a Locomotive Engineer for the N.Y.C. for many years and retired in May of 1948. Married Jan. 19, 1905, DAISY LEWIS, born Jan. 12, 1876. This union ended in divorce in May 1935. Their children, one;

1. GLENN WINEBRENNER, born Dec. 11, 1911 at Elkhart, Ind. His home is at 820 Vinton St. Toledo, O. He served in the Army in World War II and was in the Pacific Area. Married, Oct. 28, 1940 at Toledo, Ohio, ELLEN BLISS, born April 12, 1913 at Toledo.

   Their children, one;

   a. BARRY KENT WINEBRENNER, born July 22, 1942 at Toledo, Ohio.

III. CLELLAND GUY married 2nd Aug. 23, 1937, MRS. MADGE ZOLLINGER CALSTOCK, born Aug. 25, 1883 at Goshen, Ind. and died July 29, 1940 aged 57 years at Elkhart. Buried in Rice Cemetery, Elkhart. Their children, none.

III. CLELLAND GUY married 3rd EMMA JEAN STRUBLE of Elkhart.

IV. FORD WINEBRENNER, born May 14, 1884 at Wolf Lake, Ind. He lived for some years at Toledo, Ohio, and was a Locomotive Engineer for the N.Y.C. for many years, was retired in 1948 and moved to Elkhart, Ind. He has the old family Bible. Married RUTH A. BARR, born Mar. 17, 1886 at Albion, Ind. and died Jan. 11, 1906 aged 20 years. Buried in Christian Chapel Cemetery, Merriam, Noble Co. Ind. Their children, none.

IV. FORD married second, CLARA MAY GRETGER, born in 1877, Ligonier. Their children, one;

1. ELIZABETH JANE WINEBRENNER, born Nov. 28, 1910, Toledo, Ohio. Married, Nov. 27, 1935, DONALD CHRIST of Toledo, Ohio. Their children, two;

a. DONALD LEW CHRIST, born Aug. 9, 1941 at Cleveland, Ohio.
b. JUDITH JANE CHRIST, born July 6, 1944 at Buffalo, N.Y.

IV. FORD married third, BERTHA KOHKLEMEN, born Dec. 5, 1888 at Nakaruse, Elkhart County, Indiana. Their children, none.

V. GOLDIE G. WINEBRENNER, born Nov. 3, 1886 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Died Nov. 12, 1926 aged 40 years at Bemidji, Minn. Buried there. Married THOMAS MOHLER, who still, 1949, lives at Bemidji. Their children, three;
1. A Baby Mohler, died in infancy.

2. KENNETH MOHLER, born in 1908 at Bemidji, Minn. He drowned in 1919 aged 11 years at Bemidji.

3. LEONARD MOHLER, born in 1917 at Bemidji, Minn. He served in the U.S. Army in World War II and attained the rank of Lieut. Married ALICE DUREN.
Their children, one;
a. A Child MOHLER. No report.

VI. CLEOTA C. WINEBRENNER, born Nov. 10, 1890 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Died Dec. 15, 1906 aged 16 years. Buried at Bemidji, Minn.

MARTIN WINEBRENNER married second, in June 1895, MILLICENT COLLINS, born Dec. 6, 1874 at Wolf Lake, Indiana. Now lives at Bemidji, Minnesota.

WINEBRENNER - MAGGERT

JOSEPHINE WINEBRENNER, 14th child of John and Sarah Hoover Winebrenner, was born Nov. 20, 1857 in Noble County Ind. and died July 23, 1921 aged 65 years, at her home in Cromwell, Indiana. Married, in 1880, JAMES MAGGERT, born Oct. 1, 1857, Noble Co. Ind. and died May 30, 1937 aged 80 years. Both buried in Beyers Cemetery at Cromwell. He was a farmer. Moved to Mishawaka in 1910. THEIR CHILDREN, TEN;

I. LULU MAGGERT, born April 16, 1880. Died May 1, 1923 aged 43. MARRIED O'CONNEL. They lived in Chicago and died there.
Their children, none.

II. GERALD P. MAGGERT, born Nov. 6, 1882 Cromwell, Ind. Died Sep. 3, 1947, aged 65 years at his home in Goshen, 516 S. 8th St. Married BULDA DORETH.
Their children, one;
1. VIOLET MAGGERT, born Aug. 8, 1912.

III. THURLOW MAGGERT, born Aug. 1, 1886 at Cromwell, Ind. He was killed May 25, 1900 aged 14 years.

IV. MONA MAGGERT. Died in infancy.

V. ETHEL MAGGERT. Died in infancy.

VI. MARION MAGGERT, born Aug. 17, 1888 at Cromwell, Ind. Married ZULA SPARROW. They live at Coldwater, Mich. RFD #4.
Their children, five;

1. LAMAR MAGGERT, born July 30, 1910. Married and had 2 children.
   a. WINSTON MAGGERT, born Feb. 29, 1932.
   b. JACQUELINE MAGGERT, born July 25, 1934.

2. ROMAINE MAGGERT, born Mar. 30, 1913.

3. LAUREN MAGGERT, born June 8, 1915.

4. THURLOW MAGGERT, born Feb. 15, 1917. Married & has 3 children.
   a. REVA MAGGERT, born June 24, 1938.
   b. RUTH ANN MAGGERT, born Oct. 22, 1940.
   c. JAMES THURLOW MAGGERT, born Dec. 17, 1941.

5. REVA MAGGERT, born Aug. 29, 1918. Married JOHNSON. Children, one.
   a. ELDON LEE JOHNSON, born July 28, 1937.

VII. PERN MAGGERT, born Sep. 11, 1890 at Cromwell, Ind. They lived for some years at Marion, Ind. but later at Delton, Mich. Married ROY SMITH.

Their children, nine;

1. JOSEPHINE SMITH, born May 16, 1910. Married MATHEWS.

Their children, two;

   a. FRED MATHEWS, born Dec. 7, 1933.
   b. JANET MATHEWS, born Jan. 11, 1935.

2. CARL SMITH, born July 25, 1911. Married and has 3 children.
   a. JAMES SMITH, born July 11, 1933.
   b. JACQUELINE SMITH, born Jan. 6, 1935
   c. JERRY SMITH, born Mar. 26, 1937.

3. HAROLD SMITH, born Oct. 26, 1916. Married & has 2 children.
   a. RONALD LEROY SMITH, born June 3, 1936.
   b. PHILIP SMITH, born June 7, 1942.

4. RUTH SMITH, born Feb. 9, 1918. Married PHILLIPS. Their children, one.
   a. JERRY LYNN PHILLIPS, born May 29, 1942.

5. BETTY SMITH, born June 20, 1921. Married HINES. No children.
6. DORIS SMITH, born June 20, 1921.
7. FRANCIS SMITH, born Jan. 6, 1923.
8. RICHARD SMITH, born Sep. 21, 1929.
9. CHARLOTTE SMITH, born Aug. 22, 1931.

VIII. VERA MAGGERT, born Feb. 25, 1893 at Cromwell, Ind. Married CARL RAMSEY.

Their children, four;

1. GEORGE RAMSEY, born Aug. 25, 1912
2. RONALD JACK RAMSEY, born July 16, 1914
3. PEGGY RAMSEY, born Dec. 9, 1922. Married McALVIN. No children.
4. PHYLLIS RAMSEY, born Nov. 14, 1924.

IX. PAUL MAGGERT, born April 22, 1895 at Cromwell, Ind. Married JUANITA KITTRIDGE. They live at Mishawaka, Ind.

Their children, two;

1. JAMES MAGGERT, born Oct. 5, 1916. Married and has 2 children.
   a. MICHAEL MAGGERT, born Aug. 26, 1939.
   b. JUDITH MAGGERT, born April 11, 1941.

2. LORRAINE MAGGERT, born June 25, 1922.

X. REVA MAGGERT, born Dec. 6, 1898 at Cromwell, Ind. Married ANTON HUFF. They live at Cromwell, Ind.

Their children, two;

1. MARIE HUFF, born Nov. 8, 1920. Married FURR. No children.

2. DELORIS HUFF, born July 31, 1925.

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SKETCH OF
SARAH JANE WINEBRENNER SHEFFLER

SARAH JANE WINEBRENNER, third child of Christian and Abigail Chrisman Winebrenner, was born Oct. 8, 1815 near Martinsburg, in Morrison's Cove, Blair Co. (then Bedford) Pa. and died in 1897 aged 82 years at her home in Wolf Lake, Noble County, Ind. She is buried in Sanford cemetery, near Merrinm, Noble Co. Ind. Does not have a headstone. In her last illness she was cared for by her daughter Sarah and her husband Joseph Scarlett.

She married, in Blair Co. JESSE SHEFFLER of Blair Co. who was born there and who died likely about 1858 at his farm home just south of Sanford cemetery near Merriam. He too is buried in Sanford cemetery but has no headstone.

Sarah Jane and her husband left Pa. on Aug. 11, 1846 by covered wagon for Indiana, with their four children, along with other Winebrenners and Hoovers. Upon reaching Indiana, they stopped, along with the others, in Wayne County, through which the National Highway pass is, and the next spring, 1847, they moved several counties north, settling in Noble County where they lived out their lives. It was here three more children were born to them. Jesse was a farmer.

Their children, seven;

1. NANCY, born in 1833 and died in 1848 aged 24 years. Married WILLIAM LAMAN. Their children, one, Mollie Dingman.

2. MARY, born in 1839 and date of her death not yet learned. Married WILLIAM LAMAN, sister's widower. Children, three. George W., Agnes (White) & John.

3. WILLIAM, born in 1844 and date of death not reported. He was living in 1860, then 16 years old. No more record.

4. SUSANNE, born in 1848 and died in 1921 aged 75 years. Married JEREMIAH E. NICODEMUS. Their children, one, Orlie.

5. DAVID, born in 1850 and died in 1916 aged 74 years. Married JANE FORNER. Their children, three; Claudia, Freeling and William.

6. SARAH, born in 1853 and diedin 1907 aged 54 years. Married JOSEPH SCARLETT. Their children, five; Infant, Dead, Alberty, died 6 months, Clarence, Sergie and Lola (Rice).

7. CHRISTIANN, born in 1856 and died in 1927 aged 71 years. Married JOHN MARKER. Their children, seven; Iva (Boyer), Numa, died in infancy, Clayton, Frank, Herbert, Ted Curtis, and Laura Bell (Biddle).

SARAH JANE married second, CONRAD NICODEMUS, widower of her sister Elizabeth. Of this marriage, there were no children.

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S H E F F L E R

NANCY SHEFFLER, first child of Sarah Jane Winebrenner Sheffler and Jesse Sheffler, was born Oct. 22, 1833 in Blair Co. Pa. and died Jan. 8, 1858 aged 24 years, in Noble County, Ind. Buried in Sanford cemetery near Merriam, Noble Co. Ind. Married WILLIAM LAMAN, who was born June 30, 1829 in Ohio. No report on his death or place of burial. Name on Nancy's headstone, "LEAMAN". Their children, one;

1. MILLIE LAMAN. Dates of birth and death not reported, but it is said she is buried in Sanford cemetery near Merriam. Married JOHN DINGMAN. No report of his birth but he died at age of 65 years at Albion and buried there.
   Their children, two;
   1. MINNIE ELDORA DINGMAN, born Sep. 27, 1874 in Noble Co. Ind. She is now, 1946, living with her daughter Dortha Lowry at Plymouth, Mich. Married in 1892, WILLIAM BRADLEY, born May 3, 1871, Noble Co. Ind. This marriage ended in divorce about 1897.
      Their children, two;
      a. WELLINGTON BRADLEY, born Nov. 16, 1892, Norton Co. Kansas. Married, Nov. 4, 1912, LULU LOUISE SMITH, born June 7, 1895.
         Their children, eight;
         (1) DOROTHY GALE BRADLEY, born Mar. 21, 1915, Decatur, Ind. Married JOSEPH BILLMAN. Their children, two; A Son & Daughter.
         (2) LULU MARGARET BRADLEY, born July 14, 1916, Monmouth, Ind. Married LESTER HATHAWAY. Their children, five;
            (a) LESTER WELLINGTON HATHAWAY, born May 27, 1936, White Pidgeon
            (b) DELBERT LEE HATHAWAY, born Oct. 12, 1938, White Pidgeon, Mich.
            (c) MELVIN DOUGLAS HATHAWAY, born Nov. 25, 1940, White Pidgeon, Mich. (Dead)
            (d) RONALD STEVEN HATHAWAY, born Aug. 23, 1944, VanDyke, Mich.
            (e) MARGARET HATHAWAY, born April 1947 at Van Dayke, Mich.
         (3) THOMAS WELLINGTON BRADLEY, born Dec. 29, 1918, Decatur, Ind. Married, Sep. 24, 1942, MARY ELIZABETH WILLITE, born Oct. 12, 1919 at Locust Grove, Ohio. Their children, one;
            (a) THOMAS WELLINGTON BRADLEY Jr. born April 12, 1944, Highland Park, Michigan.
         (4) PAUL MYRON BRADLEY, born Mar. 18, 1922 at Centerville, Ind. Married, Sep. 8, 1941, MILDRED IRENE McLATHER, born July 29, 1922 at Coldwater, Mich. Their children, two;
            (a) SHARON ANN BRADLEY, born Dec. 10, 1943, Coldwater, Mich.
            (b) Another child born Dec. 1945 at Coldwater, Mich.
         (5) BETTY JEANE BRADLEY, born Aug. 23, 1924 at LaGrange, Ind. Married Aug. 16, 1944, VERN CLAYTON FRY.
            Their children, three; (No names reported)
         (6) HANAH EMILY BRADLEY, born May 7, 1927 at Lagrange, Ind.

(7) ROBERT JAMES BRADLEY, born Aug. 5, 1929, at LaOrange, Ind.
(8) THEODORE J. BRADLEY, born June 29, 1935 at LaOrange, Ind.

b. DORTHA MAY BRADLEY, born May 2, 1894 at Columbia City, Ind. Married June 28, 1911, PETER A. DEITRICH, born July 10, 1888 in St. Petersburg, Russia. Died Nov. 18, 1939 aged 51. This marriage ended in divorce in 1930. Their children, one;
(1) DORRIS GERTRUDE DEITRICK, born Jan. 1, 1913, Saginaw, Mich. Died April 18, 1940 aged 27 years. Married Nov. 15, 1930, GLENN GERRARD. Their children, two;
(a) BARBARA LOUISE GERRARD, born Sep. 24, 1932, Plymouth, Mich.
(b) DOUGLAS RALPH GERRARD, born May 25, 1935, Plymouth, Mich.

b. DORTHA MAY married second, July 12, 1930, RAYMOND D. LOWRY, born Mar. 10, 1889, Herman, N.Y. They live at Plymouth, Michigan.
Their children, one;
(1) DONALD RAYMOND LOWRY, born June 23, 1937, Plymouth, Michigan.

1. MINNIE ELDORA married second, in 1898, JOHN BURK. Their children, 3;

a. LESTER CARL BURK, born Aug. 29, 1899, Albion, Noble Co. Ind. Married and has one child.
(1) CLARENCE BURK, born June 15, 1925, at San Jose, Calif.

a. LESTER married second, but had no children of the union.

b. CLARA BELL BURK, born April 8, 1902, Carrs, Lake Co. Mich. Married Feb. 1924, GEORGE N. DuBOIS. Their children, one;
(1) RICHARD ALLEN DuBOIS, born Sep. 30, 1933, South Bend, Ind.

c. CLARENCE IRVING BURK, born Dec. 1, 1905, Carrs, Mich. Married, Sep. 6, 1927, MARION SCHRYER, born Nov. 12, 1904.
Their children, four;
(1) JUNE BURK, born June 17, 1928, Detroit, Mich.
(2) PATRICIA ANN BURK, born July 15, 1929, Detroit, Mich.
(3) MARILYN LOIS BURK, born April 16, 1931, Cadillac, Mich.
(4) JAMES ARTHUR BURK, born July 16, 1927, Detroit, Mich.

1. MINNIE ELDORA Married third, NEIL BENNETT who died June 10, 1930.

2. ADAM DINGMAN, born in Noble Co. Ind. Died aged 6 years. He is buried in Sanford cemetery near Merrium.

MARY SHEFFLER, second child of Sarah Jane Winebrenner Sheffler and Jesse Sheffler, was born Jan. 25, 1839 in Blair Co. Pa. Date of her death not reported by family. Married WILLIAM LAMAN, widower of her sister, Nancy.

Their children, three;

I. GEORGE WASHINGTON LAMAN, born Dec. 17, 1857 in Noble Co. Indiana. Died Jan. 5, 1927 aged 69 years at Rice Kansas and buried there in Nelson cemetery. Went to Cloud Co. Kansas about 1882. Was a farmer. Married in Nov. 1886, MARY DONOHUE, born in Ohio. Died Dec. 1890.

Their children, one;

1. CHARLES E. LAMAN, born Jan. 9, 1888, at Rice Kansas. He is a farmer in Cloud Co. Kansas. Married PENELOPE McDONOUGH, born Feb. 22, 1886 Aurora, Kansas.

Their children, five;

a. MARY MARGARETTE LAMAN, born Feb. 3, 1916 Rice, Kansas. Unmarried.
b. JOSEPH FERRIL LAMAN, born Feb. 23, 1917, Rice, Kan. He is a farmer, in Cloud Co. Kan. Married Sep. 1940, ARLENE JENSEN. No children.
c. LAWRENCE LAMBERT LAMAN, born Nov. 12, 1918, Rice, Kan. Served in U.S. Marines.
d. NORA LAMAN, born Nov. 3, 1922, Rice, Kansas.
e. JOHN GEORGE LAMAN, born Nov. 22, 1924, Rice, Kansas.

I. GEORGE WASHINGTON LAMAN married second, Dec. 5, 1892, ANNA DETRIAN? who was born Feb. 15, 1866 at Liege Belgium. She now, 1947, lives with her son Russell at Manhattan, Kansas.

The children of this marriage, five;

1. LAMBERT LAMAN, born Sep. 24, 1893, Rice, Kansas. He is a farmer in Cloud Co. Kan. Served in U.S. Navy in 1st World War. Married, PEARL LAWSON, born Apr. 22, 1897, Buscher, Kansas.

Their children, one;

a. IRENE ANNA LAMAN, born Jan. 21, 1921, Rice, Kan. Married, Dec. 24, 1939, DALE MORRIS. Their children, none.

2. FERRIL G. LAMAN, born Mar. 26, 1895 at Rice Kansas. He works for the Creamery Co. at Concordia, Kan. Served in the U.S. Navy in World War I, 1917-1918. Married MABEL LOWELL, born July 25, 1898 at Concordia Kansas. Their children, two;

a. NORMAN FRANCIS LAMAN, born Feb. 2, 1924 at Rice Kansas.
b. MERYL L. LAMAN, born Jan. 7, 1932 at Topeka, Kansas.

3. MALCOLM LAMAN, born Jan. 26, 1900 at Rice Kansas. Served in U.S. Navy in World War I. Holds a B.S Degree in History, Kansas State College, and is now, 1947, working on a doctor's degree in History at the University of Nebraska. He is now, 1947, Principal of the High School, Alma, Wabaunsee Co. Kansas. Married RUTH LOWELL, born Aug. 9, 1902 at Concordia, Kansas. Ruth is a sister to Mabel, Ferril's wife. Their children, two;

a. MERVIN LAMAN, born Feb. 7, 1925 at Rice, Kansas.
b. GENEVA RUTH LAMAN, born Oct. 7, 1926 at Burka, Kansas.

4. GEORGE W. LAMAN, born Mar. 7, 1905 at Rice Kansas. He is a farmer in Cloud Co. Kansas. Married MELISSA BURRHAD, born Jan. 10, 1906 at Concordia, Kansas.
Their children, two;
a. ARNOLD RUSSELL LAMAN, born Oct. 12, 1930 at Rice, Kansas.
b. PHYLLIS ANN LAMAN, born June 19, 1932 at Rice, Kansas.

5. RUSSEL LAMAN, born May 19, 1908 at Rice Kansas. He holds a B.S. degree in English from Kansas State College, also an M.A. degree in Literature and Philosophy from the State University of Iowa, and took additional advanced work there and at the University of Missouri. Is Instructor in English at Kansas State College of Agriculture and applied Science at Manhattan, Kansas. He is unmarried. Lives with Mother.

II. AGNES LAMAN, born June 16, 1861, in Noble Co. Ind. Died Dec. 25, 1909 aged 48 years at Elkhart, Ind. and buried there. Married MYRON M. WHITE, born Aug. 3, 1851 and died Sep. 15, 1914 aged 63 years at Benton Harbor, Michigan and buried there. This marriage ended in divorce about 1888 or 1890. Their children, two;
1. CLYDE H. WHITE, born Aug. 13, 1880 in Noble Co. Ind. He is a Sanitary Police Officer for the city of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. For some years he was an organizer for the A.F. of L. Cedar Rapids. Married, Nov. 17, 1911, LOLA JESSIE EALY of Belle Plaine, Benton Co. Iowa, born there Aug. 7, 1890. Their children, none.

2. TOBY WHITE, born Mar. 10, 1883 in Noble Co. Ind. He died Aug. 24, 192 aged 48 years of Moline Ill. and buried at Toledo, Ohio. Married TILLIE HANKY of Elkhart, Ind. who died Dec. 17, 19_6 at Moline, Ill. and is buried at Rock Island, Ill. Their children, none.

AGNES married 2nd, Mar. 10, 1895, GEORGE SHIRLEY of Rome City, Ind. They moved to Elkhart and later to Garrett, Ind. where he was a brakeman on the Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Their children, none.

III. JOHN LAMAN, born Sep. 13, 1863 in Indiana. Died at age of 21 years & is buried in Sanford cemetery near Merriam. He was unmarried.

WILLIAM SHEFFLER, 3rd child of Sarah Jane Winebrenner Sheffler and Jesse Sheffler, was born in 1844 in Blair Co. Pa. Date of death not reported by family, but was determined by finding his name in the U.S. Census of Noble Co. for 1860, (seen at Washington, D.C.) wherein he is shown as then being 16 years of age. He must have died soon after 1860, thus not reported nor remembered by others of the descendants.

SUSANNE SHEFFLER, 4th child of Sarah Jane Winebrenner Sheffler and Jesse Sheffler, was born Aug. 10, 1845 in Blair Co. Pa., and died Sep. 20, 1921 aged 76 years at Wolf Lake, Ind. and buried there. She was best known by her nickname of "LAT". Married, June 21, 1863, in Noble Co. Ind. JEREMIAH EDWARD NICODEMUS (some say his name was JERRY ELWIN) her cousin, who was born June 30, 1843 in Pa. (See Nicodemus record) and who died in July 1910 aged 37 yrs. at Wolf Lake, Ind. and is buried there.

Their children, one;

I. ORLIE NICODEMUS, born Jan. 1, 1870 at Wolf Lake, Ind. and died Nov. 20, 1945 aged 75 years at Ligonier. Buried at Wolf Lake, Ind. Married SIDNEY STAGE of Wolf Lake, which ended in divorce.

Their children, two;

1. FERN STAGE, born Sep. 16, 1889 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Married VERA MAY STAGE of Ligonier where they now live.

Their children, two;

a. HAROLD STAGE, born June 15, 1918. Married YETTA BACH of Ligonier, born there Mar. 20, 1924.

Their children, one;

(1) SUETTA STAGE, born July 15, 1942.

b. BETTY JOAN STAGE, born Mar. 11, 1924 at Ligonier, Ind.

2. CORAL STAGE, born Oct. 28, 1891 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Married STANLEY SURFUS, born Jan. 22, 1888 at Wolf Lake.

Their children, one;

a. GERTRUDE SURFUS, born Sep. 13, 1911 at Wolf Lake. Married ARTHUR PRIEST of Albion, Ind.

Their children, two;

(1) JAMES EDWARD PRIEST, born Aug. 23, 1932.
(2) SUE ANNE PRIEST, born Mar. 6, 1935.

I. ORLIE married second WILLIAM CARROUTHERS of Albion, Ind. who died in Mar. 1934 in Los Angeles, Calif. Their children, none.

I. ORLIE married third, A.H. WILLS of LaGrange, Ind. where they now live. Their children, none.

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DAVID SHEFFLER, 5th child of Sarah Jane Winebrenner Sheffler, and Jesse Sheffler was born in 1850 in Noble Co. Ind. and died July 1, 1916 aged 65 years at Albion, Ind. Buried Wolf Lake, Ind. Married, July 3, 1877, JANE FORNER, born Sep. 22, 1857, Houghton Co. and died Nov. 28, 1925 aged 68 yrs. Buried at Wolf Lake, Ind.

Their children, three;

1. CLAUDIA SHEFFER. Died Mar. 11, 1881. In infancy it is thought.

II. FREELING SHEFFLER, born May 6, 1883 Noble Co. Died May 8, 1933 aged 50 yrs. at Kendallville, Ind. Buried, Wolf Lake, Married ANN FULTON who died about 1942.

Their children, none.

III. WILLIAM SHEFFLER, born about 1886 and died about 1936 aged 50 yrs. Married, but name of wife not reported. Lived and died out west.

Their children, none.

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SARAH SHEFFLER, 6th child of Sarah Jane Winebrenner Sheffler and Jesse Sheffler, was born Nov. 21, 1853 in Noble Co. Ind. and died Jan. 8, 1907 aged 50 years at Wolfe Lake, Ind. and buried there. Married, Sep. 21, 1874, JOSEPH SCARLETT, born Dec. 6, 1852 Noble Co. He died May 3, 1930 aged 78 years at Albion, Ind. Buried at Wolf Lake.

Their children, five;

I. INFANT, born and died May 21, 1875, Noble Co. Buried at Sanford Cem.

II. ALBERTY A. SCARLETT, born Sep. 7, 1876 Noble Co. and died Jan. 31,1877 aged 5 months. Buried in Sanford Cemetery, near Merriam.

III. CLARENCE SCARLETT, born Dec. 23, 1877 and died Jan. 31, 1917 aged 39 yrs. at Ft. Wayne, Ind. where he accidently was electrocuted. Buried, Wolf Lake, Ind. Married DELLA JERD.

Their children, one;

1. ENZA THULMA SCARLETT, born May 22, 1897 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Married RALPH E. LARIMORE, born Nov. 30, 1890 Allen Co. Ind. They now, 1946, live in Ft. Wayne, Ind. He works at Bowser & Co.

Their children, four;

a. MARJORIE ELLEN LARIMORE, born Jan. 18, 1918, Chicago.
b. BETTY JANE LARIMORE, born July 2, 1921, Ft. Wayne, Ind.
c. RICHARD ALLEN LARIMORE, born May 22, 1923, Ft. Wayne, Ind.
d. HAROLD FRANCIS LARIMORE, born July 9, 1925, Ft. Wayne, Ind.

IV. SEROIE SCARLETT, born Aug. 26, 1883 at Albion, Ind. Died July 16, 1946 aged 63 yrs. Buried at Kendallville, Ind. Married, Sep. 2, 1907, JEARETTE HANSON, born Nov. 9, 1885 at Kewaka, Ind. She had lived for some years at Kendallville.

Their children, three;

1. CLAIR SCARLETT, born Feb. 7, 1913 at Kendallville, Ind. Married LUCILLE MOULER of Sharpeville, Ind. Born Sep. 15, 1912.

Their children, one;

a. HAROO SCARLETT, born Oct. 31, 1941 at Kendallville, Ind.

2. LOIS J. SCARLETT, born Mar. 30, 1919 at Kendallville, Ind. Married, HAROLD PAYSER, born May 7, 1918 in Noble Co. Ind.

Their children, two;

a. GAIL SCARLETT POYSER, born May 5, 1940, Kendallville, Ind.
b. LARRY LEE POYSER, born Jan. 10, 1943, Kendallville, Ind.

3. JEAN E. SCARLETT, born Apr. 28, 1922 at Kendallville. Married LONGNECKER.

Their children, one;

a. JUDITH ANN LONGNECKER, born Dec. 27, 1942 at Kendallville, Ind.

V. LOLA SCARLETT, born June 21, 1892 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Married, ROY RICE, born Sep. 17, 1887 at Albion, Ind.

Their children, three;

1. RONALD RICE, born Aug. 10, 1915 at Wolf Lake, Ind.

2. MAX RICE, born Mar. 9, 1918 at Albion, Ind.

3. MARILOU RICE, born Nov. 18, 1922 at Albion, Ind.

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CHRISTIANA SHEFFLER, 7th child of Sarah Jane W. Sheffler and Jesse Sheffler, was born Oct. 4, 1856 in Noble Co. Ind. and died Aug. 8, 1927 aged 71 years, at Wolf Lake, Ind. and buried there. Married JOHN MARKER, born Mar. 24, 1852 in Noble Co. Ind. and died Dec. 22, 1932 aged 79 years. Buried, Wolf Lake, Ind.

Their children, seven;

I. IVA GEIGER, born in 1874 in Noble Co. Ind. She now, 1946, lives at Berrian Springs, Mich. Married WILLIAM BOYER, born about 1873 in Noble Co. Ind. and died in 1938 aged about 65 yrs. Their children, two;

1. CLOYCE BOYER, born Jan. 1, 1896 at Albion, Ind. Died Jan. 6, 1904, aged 8 years. Buried in Christian Chapel Cemetery, Merriam.
2. BOYCE BOYER, born Jan. 21, 1906 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Married FRANCES HOUSUM, of Berrien Springs, Mich.

Their children, one;

a. GAYLORD BOYER.

II. NUMA MARKER. No dates reported. Apparently died in infancy.

III. CLAYTON WINFIELD MARKER, born June 9, 1880 in Noble Co. Ind. He died Sep. 18, 1943 aged 63 years at Albion, Ind. Buried there. He had been a barber at Albion for many years. Married VERDA WEEKS, born Apr. 14, 1883, Noble Co.

Their children, none.

IV. FRANK MARKER, born Mar. 5, 1883, Noble Co. Ind. Married RHENA HILL, born June 26, 1882 in Noble Co. Ind.

Their children, five;

1. BOYD MARKER, born Apr. 1, 1904 at Albion, Ind. Married KATE GORDON of Churubusco, born there in 1906.

Their children, four;

a. ROBERT MARKER, born Apr. 6, 1925 at Churubusco, Ind.
b. GORDON MARKER, born June 26, 1926 at " "
c. ROSALEE MARKER, born Mar. 18, 1931 at " "
d. HAROLD MARKER, born Nov. 18, 1933.

2. BERNICE MARKER, born Jan. 5, 1906 at Hale, Mich. Married CARL HERRON born Oct. 1903 at Albion, Ind.

Their children, two;

a. JOAN HERRON, born Oct. 17, 1925 at Albion, Ind.
b. WAYNE HERRON, born Mar. 29, 1930 at Albion, Ind.

3. DALE MARKER, born June 27, 1909 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Married ERMADEAN JOHNSON, born Jan. 16, 1918, Wolf Lake.

Their children, four;

a. DENNIS MARKER, born Sep. 14, 1935 at Wolf Lake, Ind.
b. DALLAS MARKER, born Nov. 20, 1936 at " " "
c. DORA BELLE MARKER, born Nov. 16, 1937 " " "
d. ROGER MARKER, born Oct. 13, 1939 at " " "

4. DARWOOD MARKER, born Oct. 8, 1913 at Mishawaka, Ind. Married JENEVA SHAW of Columbia City, Ind.

Their children, one;

a. LARRY LEE MARKER, born Nov. 16, 1936.

5. FRANKLIN MARKER, born July 15, 1910 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Married ELMARINE COOPER, born in 1919 at Houston, Tex.

Their children, one;

a. FRANKLIN MARKER, Jr. born May 4, 1941 at Houston, Texas.

V. HERBERT MARKER, born July 15, 1886, Noble Co. Ind. Died in 1933 aged 47 years, and buried at Wolf Lake. Married MABEL HUNSON, born July 11, 1889 LeGrand, Iowa.
Their children, four;

1. HERBERT MARKER, Jr. born about 1917 at Lincoln, Iowa Co. Iowa. He is unmarried. Lives at Nawaka, Ind.

2. JOHN MARKER, born April 9, 1923 at Wolf Lake, Ind. Died about 1944 aged about 21 years of electric shock. Married but name of wife not reported.
Their children, one;
a. A Child. Name, etc. not reported.

3. IDA MAY MARKER, born Nov. 21, 1925 at Wolf Lake. Married, but name etc. of husband not reported.

4. LOWELL MARKER, born April 4, 1926 at Merriam, Ind. Unmarried.

VI. TED CURTIS MARKER, born June 7, 1889, in Noble Co. Ind. Married, June 17, 1908, FUNNY Y.KOCKEN, born July 16,1888 at Altoona, DeKalb Co. Ind. They live at Albion.
Their children, two;
1. DONNA BELLE MARKER, born Sep. 26, 1910 at Garrett, Ind. Married HAROLD COIL, born Nov. 18, 1911.
Their children, three;
a. ROBERT GENE COIL, born May 8, 1938.
b. MARGARET ANN COIL, born July 2, 1934.
c. DENNIS M. COIL, born Dec. 26, 1940.

2. DARL MARKER, date of birth not reported. Married but name etc. of wife not reported.

VII. LAURA BELL MARKER, born Oct. 8, 1893 at Churubusco, Indiana. Married OTTO FOREST BIDDLE of Albion, Indiana, who was born Dec. 11, 1888 at Payne, Paulding Co. Ohio. They now, 1942, live in California, at Arroyo Grande, near the coast, some 200 miles north of Los Angeles.
Their children, one;
1. BONNY BURKLY BIDDLE, born Aug. 18, 1912, Kimmell, Indiana. Married PAT FORD, who was born Jan. 16, 1912, at Lone Tree, North Dakota. They now, 1942, live in California.
Their children, one;
a. NAME etc. of child not reported.

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SKETCH OF
ANDREW JACKSON WINEBRENNER

The subject of this Sketch was born August 18, 1818 near Martinsburg in Morrisons Cove, Blair County Pennsylvania and died April 6, 1888, aged 69 years 7 months and 18 days, in Huntington County Indiana on the farm of his brother Daniel. He is buried in the nearby cemetery at Lancaster, Huntington County, Indiana where a headstone marks his resting place.

He was the son of Christian Winebrenner, and his second wife, Abigail Chrisman. See Sketch of Christian Winebrenner.

In Blair County, Pennsylvania, Andrew married Anna Hoover, who was born there May 20, 1819. (Two of his brothers, John and Daniel, married sisters of Anna Hoover.) She died February 22, 1862, aged 42 years, 9 months and 2 days, just 11 days after the birth of their fourteenth child Isaac, who also died five months later. She died in Noble County, Indiana on their farm a mile north of Merriam, and was buried in nearby Sanford Cemetery, almost across the road from their farm home. A headstone marks the place.

On June 5, 1862 Andrew married Mrs. Mary Ann Hill, a widow with two sons, Will and Beecher.

On August 11, 1846, when Andrew was about 28 years of age, he left Blair County, Pennsylvania by covered wagon for Indiana, with his wife Anna and six children, one having died several years before in infancy. With him on this trip were his brothers, John and Daniel, with their families, also his sisters, Elizabeth Nicodemus and Sarah Jane Sheffler, and their families. They endured many hardships and some sickness on the trip.

Upon reaching Indiana, he first settled in Wayne County. (Some say Henry County.) Then in May of the next year, 1847, moved north to Noble County where he located near Merriam. It was here he lived and farmed for many years, and where were born the other seven children by his first wife, Anna Hoover. On June 24, 1847 he bought this piece of land, being 80 acres in Township 33, Section 18, for which he pid the sum of $250, or $31.25 per acre. Subsequently he acquired other property in Noble County and the town or village of Ligonier.

In 1863, about a year after his second marriage, he disposed of his farm home and moved to Ligonier, where he bought an interest in a Drug business with a partner named Fisher. Being a farmer and not so familiar with business, he lost everything, we are told.

It seems he left Ligonier about 1870 for the West, taking with him his wife, Mary Hill, and her two children as well as Agnes, his own youngest living child, then about 12 years old, and also Minnie, a daughter of his second marriage who was then about six or seven. Some report that he went first to Kansas, then later moved to Barton County, Missouri, settling near Lamar, the county seat. We believe he remained there and farmed until about 1882 or 1883 when he returned East with his wife Mary and daughter Minnie, then about 18 or 20.

While they lived in Missouri, the daughter Agnes had met and married John T. Gibbony of Ohio on March 21, 1875, and after several years they had moved to his home in Ohio (April 1880).

On leaving Missouri for the East, Andrew and wife and daughter first visited his daughter, Agnes Gibbony, near Carroll, Fairfield County, Ohio for amonth or so, then went to Huntington County, Indiana to live on the farm of his brother Daniel, and it was here that he died in 1888.

The daughter Minnie married Adolphus Welch of Huntington County, Indiana and together with her mother they lived in the old community until about 1895 when Welch was accidently killed, after which Minnie and her mother left that part of the country, some say to Blair County, Pennsylvania and that both died there.

By his marriage to Anna Hoover, Andrew had fourteen children, two of whom died in infancy. Of the other twelve, eleven of them married and had families. The total number of descendants of Andrew and Anna was about 490, of whom about 406 areliving today. Of this number only about twelve male Winebrenners are living.

There is a complete Genealogy of the fourteen children of Andrew and Anna but it is not included in this record (May 1961).

We do not know what descendants, if any, there were of Minnie Welch, the daughter of Andrew and his second wife, Mary Ann Hill.

It is hoped that as descendants and others read this record, and may observe errors or omissions, they will take proper steps with the writer to have corrections made, that subsequent issues may be more clearly right.

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June 1942
Arthur G. Gibbony
Newark, Ohio

Note: Much credit is due my first cousin, Roy A. Herron of Fort Wayne, Indiana for the untiring effort and assistance he has rendered in gathering the information which has made this History possible.

COMMENTS ON THE HOOVER FAMILY

As three Hoover sisters, SARAH, ANNA and ELIZABETH, married three Winebrenner brothers, John, Andrew and Daniel, something about the Hoover family will be of interest to many of the readers of this record.

These sisters were of the ten children of David Hoover and Mary Shultz Hoover of Blair County, Pennsylvania. David was born November 7, 1790 in Blair County (had a twin brother, George) and died Sept. 7, 1873, aged 82, in Huntington County, Indiana. He is buried in Lancaster Cemetery there. Mary Shultz Hoover was born in 1790 and died in 1850, aged 60, at Hagerstown, Wayne County, Indiana and is buried there. She was the daughter of Henry and Salomea Shultz.

It seems that the Hoover family must have moved to Indiana at or about the same time the Winebrenner group did, which was in August 1846, and some of them remained in Wayne County, but most of them moved to Huntington County and we find many of them are buried there. There is a Hoover Cemetery in Huntington County.

The children of David Hoover and Mary Shultz Hoover were: HENRY, born 1813 Blair County, Pennsylvania; died 1870 in Indiana. Married Eliza C. Giboney born 1810, died 1880. Lancaster Cemetery. CHRISTIAN, born 1815 Blair County; died 1882 in Indiana. Married Suzanna Wagner, born 1814 in Pennsylvania; died 1884 in Indiana. Both buried in Hoover Cemetery. Their children were four as follows:

1. SARAH JANE, married George Jewett. Both buried in Hoover Cemetery.
2. AMANDA, married Fred Brumbaugh. Both buried in Hoover Cemetery.
3. ANNA, married William Brumbaugh. Both buried in Hoover Cemetery.
4. ANDERSON, married Baron Fitzsimmons. Both buried in Arkansas.

JOHN S. born 1816, died 1889 in Indiana. Buried in Lancaster Cemetery. Married Nancy Bare, born 1820, died 1883. Buried in Lancaster Cemetery.

Their children as follows:

1. MARY, married Jacob Klepser. Both buried in Lancaster Cemetery.
2. D.H. Hoover, married E. Sprinkle. Both buried in Lancaster Cemetery.
3. LEVI was in Civil War. Married Lavina Shidler.
4. REBECCA, married Ben Shidler, soldier in Civil War.

SARAH, born 1817, died 1884. Buried in Sanford Cemetery. See Sketch in this History. Married John Winebrenner. Born 1812, died 1870. Buried in Sanford.

ANNA, born 1819, died 1862. Buried in Sanford Cemetery. A Twin. Married Andrew J. Winebrenner. See Sketch in this History.

CHRISTINA, born 1819, died 1899. Buried in Lancaster Cemetery. Married Jacob Potts, died in Civil War. Buried at Chattanooga.

ABRAHAM, born 1821. No record. Buried near Hagerstown, Indiana.
ISAAC, born 1821, died 1865 in War. Buried in Hoover Cemetery.
ELIZABETH, born 1823, died 1867. Buried in Lancaster Cemetery.
Married Daniel Zinebrenner. See record in this History.
CATHERINE, born 1826, died 1899. Buried in Hoover Cemetery.
Married George Bare, born 1816, died 1901.

Louis R. Hoover, 912 Bloomfield Avenue, Ronring Spring, Pennsylvania, is writing a History of the Hoover family.

December 1942.

SKETCH OF DANIEL WINEBRENNER

He was born July 15, 1820 in Blair County, Pennsylvania, the son of Christian Winebrenner and his second wife, Abigail Chrisman Winebrenner. He died November 4, 1893, aged 73, at his home in Huntington County, Indiana.

He was married in Blair County, Pennsylvania to ELIZABETH HOOVER, who was born July 17, 1823 in Blair County (two brothers of Daniel, viz: Andrew and John, married sisters of Elizabeth). She died May 12, 1887, aged 63. Both buried in Lancaster Cemetery.

On August 11, 1846, with his wife and two children, together with his brothers Andrew and John, with their families (and possibly others) he left Blair County by covered wagon for Indiana. They may have traveled largely by the newly built National Highway, then called the Cumberland Road. We do not know how long it took for the trip, nor what hardships they may have endured, but they finally located in Wayne County, Indiana, through which the Highway runs.

The following spring, the others left Wayne County and went north in Indiana, but Daniel stayed there until June of 1849, when he moved north several counties, settling in Huntington County on a farm six miles south of Huntington, and not far from Lancaster.

It was in or near this vicinity he spent the next forty or more years, during which time nine more children were born, and it was in this community he became a successful business man and farmer, owning at one time several hundred acres of land, finding time also to operate a grain threshing machine he owned for some 25 or 30 years. In addition to this, he owned and operated a blacksmith and wagon shop.

In 1864 he sold the main or original farm, and bought 160 acres about a mile west of the Lancaster road, where he lived until shortly before his death when he sold it to his son George, and it is now owned by George's son Tim of Huntington.

Daniel and Elizabeth were the parents of eleven children, three of whom died in childhood. A complete genealogy of all their descendants will be found in this History. They had a total of about 212 descendants and at this date there are about 180 of them still living, though only 12 Winebrenner men to carry on the name.

Daniel and Elizabeth were active members of the Church of the Brethren, or Dunkards until their deaths.

After the death of Elizabeth, Daniel married on August 9, 1888, Mrs. Lucinda Fist, who was born April 27, 1843 in Blair County, Pennsylvania. She made a pleasant home for him until his death about five years later. Some time after his second

marriage he bought a home in Huntington, andlived there for a time, but his health failing somewhat, he became homesick for his old neighbors and friends, so he started to build a home near his old place, but never completed it due to his final illness.

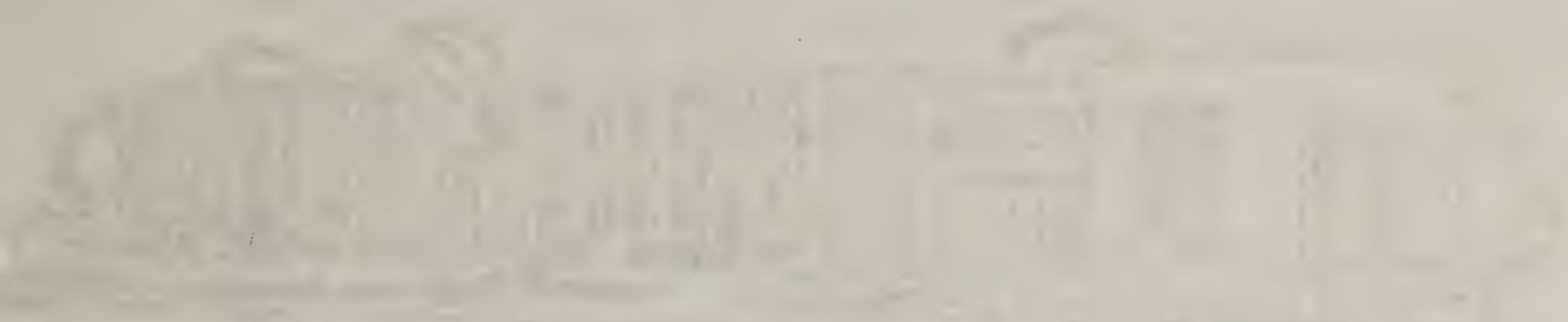
In 1909 several descendants of Daniel Winebrenner concluded to hold a Reunion of all descendants, for a general good time, and that all might get better acquainted.

Plans were perfected and the affair was held at the old home place south of Huntington, then owned by the son, George W. Winebrenner. The attendants was about fifty adults and thirty children. The day was spent enjoying an old-fashioned basket picnic, and much visiting, but no set program.

On that occasion it was decided to repeat the pleasant event each year, which has been done to this day without fail, those of later years taking place in Huntington, usually in Bier's Park, and in August.

Daniel Winebrenner was a peace-loving man, liked people very much, and was known far and wide as "Uncle Dan."

November 1942



Brief mention will be made here of groups contacted whose connection with our line is not yet determined, or in some cases known to be entirely apart.

PETER W. OF WEST VIRGINIA, was born in Maryland about 1791, served in the War of 1812, married in Virginia, moved to West Virginia and lived in Greenbrier County, Monroe County and Mason County. Had about ten children, who scattered about, several going to Missouri about Civil War time. Descendants are scattered widely, and a history of them is well started, though this group is unable to furnish any information back of PETER himself, thus the connection is yet undetermined.

KENTUCKY. In Louisville are Winebrenners, tracing their ancestry back to one HENRY WILKERSON WINEBRENNER, who they think was born in Ohio near Cincinnati in the early 1800's. He was the father of five children, all deceased. Quite a number of this group live in Louisville, and a fair start has been made on a history of this group.

TEXAS. In several parts of this state are Winebrenners of a group traced back to one WILLIAM HENRY (or JOHN HENRY) WINEBRENNER, born in Maryland, they believe, who moved to South Carolina and died there. Had but one child, William Henry, who moved to Texas. Had seven children whose descendants are scattered mostly in Texas. May be connected if possible to determine.

At Howard Payne College is a Prof. O.E. Winebrenner of Clarksburg, Missouri, a descendant of the West Virginia group.

KENTON, OHIO. In and about this city are Winebrenners who are descendants of three brothers, Martin, John and George, born in Germany and emigrated to America in 1852 going directly to Hardin County, Ohio, and became prosperous farmers and business men. There are about 90 in this group, and as their ancestors came to America 100 years after our line, there is no connection unless back in Germany, which is very possible. The writer wrote up a fairly complete History of this group a few years ago, but doubts if any further tracing reaching back to Germany in these times can be made.

YORK COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA. In and about Hanover are Winebrenners of a group tracing their ancestry back to Johann Peter Winebrenner, born in Germany in 1738 and died in Hanover in 1789, aged 51 years. His descendants live about eastern Pennsylvania and in Maryland. We are unable as yet to determine what connection if any, this group has to our own, but it is believed they are so connected.

The writer would be glad to have further information on many of the above groups, and glad to get letters asking for information about them which we might have on file, awaiting enough to complete.

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